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1ης an "5Claideam Soluir," ι 5caideam na mbliadan 1905 αξυς 1906, α cuiņead na γξέαλτα το ι 5cló de'n déad uain. S5ρίοδαδ τώς γξέι "Απ τδαξαίητ" ας απ πυαό le haξαιδ απ λεαδρίαις του, αξυς τυίρεαδ αξρυξάδο beas αρ πα γξέαλταιδ eile απηγο 'ς απητώσ.

Táim rá comaoin móin as mo canairo ós, colm ó neactain, ar uct an tus ré vom ve consnam asur mé i n-éadan an leabain reo. Ir é a cuin na rocla ra broclóin i noiair a céile tan éiriad a rshíobar dom-ra. D'réidin, le consnam dé, so mbeinn-re as cuidiusad leir-rean le rlact a cun an leadain rá ceann deic mbliadan eile, má'r rlán dúinn an aon.

p mac p.



As cup na rséalta ro 1 n-easan dom, ni hiongnad so bruit mo rmaointe an na cainoib a o'innir dom 120 agur an an aic uaignis an ciumair na hÉireann i n-a bruit a scomnaide. Feicim or comain mo rul caob tipe cnocac bleanntac aibneac locac; beanna mona as basaine a mullac an imeall na rpeine La Sceano cian aocuaio; cuan caot caointead as rinead irtead o'n brainnse an sac caob de nor; an por as apousad anior o epioplad an cuain, act san an iomapea aoipoe ann Scoimmear leir na cnocaib má-Scuaint no leir na beannaib i Scéin; chuarac beas tiste i nsac sleannTán ir mám rléibe, agur botán ránac annro ir annrúo an gualainn na genoc. Feictear dom go getuinim chónán na n-ear ir na n-abann, glaod binn na readóige ir an chotaig, agur glóp íreal na ndaoine ag comhád coir teinead. . . . Mo beannact leat, a leadháin, go Ror na gCaopac ir cuig a bruil ann dem' cáindib! . . .

1r o na "pacamib beaga" a o'feicead rean-Maitiar at Déanam Kninn với bréin an an "braitte" a cuala mé bundice an céao préil. Dionn mad ann i scomnaide, sac chátnóna spéine ir sac maidin bheat Domnais, as niteact ir as caiteam teim so oineac man a bioir nuain a fuidead rean-Maiciar as breatnużad opća. Ni tacar-ra lorazán 1 n-a mears plam, acc ni moioe nac mbionn ré ann 1 n-a biaib rin. nac bruil a buil i beit as sainoeacar an an talam agur nac é a aoibnear a beit i brocain clainne a Atan? . . . Tá innritte agam ra rzeat rein cia an áic azur cia an

thát a scuala mé "An Sasanc." mait ir cuimneat tiom reat bear Nona, agur an beanin tágac i réin, agur an thiún páirte. Tá Pánaic ag rniotail an Airpinn anoir, agur ir ctor bom 50 bruit "frompo rhamró" ve stan-meabain as Caimín. . . . 1r o Unitioin rein a cuala me eactha Vainbne. Trátnóna vá nveacaman irceac an Oileán na Raitnite, mire Agur ire, ir ead o'innir ri dom é, agur rinn i n-an ruide an bhuac an toca as bneathusad anonn an an AILL Moin. Cairbean ri uait bainbne dom an tháthóna céadha tan éir ceacc a baile duinn, agur bain ri Reallad Diom So Scuinginn paidin te hanam a canao 5ac oroce te mo beo. Déro Onigioin as out an rsoit an bliadain reo cugainn, agur ir TOOIS SO mbéid ri 1 n-ann rséal Dainbne a téigead amac annro. Cá ruit agam so ocaicneocaio re teici. . . Maioin le "Cotainin na néan," nit a fror agam cia uarò a Scuala mé é, munab ó na ráinteosaib réin é. 'Seab, reictean dom

gunab iao a o'innip dom é cháchóna áinice oa naib mé rince an an brhaoc as réacainc onta as eiceall anonn ir anall or cionn loc eineamlac. Cia vaid a scuala na ráinteosa cúr an rséil, ní' mé? O'n scéipris asur o'n nsealban buide úd a naid a neadhaca i sclaide an sannda, b'réidin.

Öib-re, a cáinde ditre, a tuct innriste mo rséalta idin beas asur món, toinbinim asur tiodlacaim an leabhán ro.

páoraic mac piarais.







íopazán.

Di rean-Maiciar i n-a ruide le hair a donair. An te gabrad an botan, řílread ré sun dealb cloice no manmain a bi ann-rin no ouine mano-manni cheioread ré 50 bréadrao rean beo ranact com ciúin, com rocain rin. Di a ceann chomta aize agur cluar ain ag éirceacc. Ir iomba rin ruaim čeolman a bi le cloirceáil, an té a mbead áino aige onta. Cuala rean-Maiciar olagán na oconn an na cappaispeadaid asur monadan an crnuitleain as rilead leir an sclocan. Cuala ré ronéad na cuinne éiro d'n ounting, agur géimneac na mbó o'n mbuaile, agur geal-gaine na bpaircí o'n braitce. Act ni le ceactan aca ro a bi ré as eirceact com haineac rincé 50 mbad binn teir 120 50 teir-acc te 5ton 5te 5tinn cluis an Airpinn a bí as ceace cuise le saoit i sciúineavar na maione.

Di na vaoine ap pav bailiste leo cuis an Airpeann. Connaic rean-Maiciar as sabail taipir 120, 1 n-a

nouine 'r i n-a nouine nó i n-a miononeamannaib. Di na keapp-booais as nit 'r as teimneac. Di na caitini AS riorsat cainnee so meioneac. Di na mna as comnad or ireal. Di na rin i n-a ocorc. Man rin a thiallaidir an botan sac Domnac. Man rin a fuidead rean-illaiciar an a cataoin ΔΣ bneatnutat onta no 50 otéroroir. ar amanc. Chiall riad tainir an maioin ainite reo man ba thátac. O'fan an rean-fean as réacainc onta so oci so naio cnioc leir an ngleo ir teir an brotnam, go oci tlan an ploo beineannac bann andain na citte, so oti nac naib le reiceál act bótan raba oineac as rinead amac ir é bán, so otí nac naib rásta an an mbaile act conn-rean-oume 1 n-a teabaro, na páirtí as clearaideact an an braitce, agur é réin i n-a ruide le hair a onair.

Mi térbead rean-Maitiar duis tead an pobail. Mion éirt ré "an tairpeann binn" le tuillead ir thi rson bliadain. Di ré i n-a osánad





tuat tároin an uain deineannac a coirnis réé réin i tátain an pobait, asur anoir di ré i n-a rean-rean chion caitte, a curo shuaise tiat-bán, nuic i n-a éadan, a rtinneáin chomta. Níon reac ré a stún i briadnaire de an read na othí rsón bliadain rin; níon cuin ré paidin cum a Chucuisteona; níon sab ré buideacar te n-a Stánuisteoin. Fean ann réin a b'ead rean-Maitiar.

mi naib a rior as einne so ce an rát nac otéidead ré an Airneann. Oubaint vaoine nan cheiv ré so paib son Dia ann. Oubsint baoine eile 50 noeanna ré peacad uatbarac éisin i ocura raosail, asur nuain nac ociubrad an razanc abroloio od an racipcean, sup tainis cutat reinse ain Agur gup mionnuit ré nac ocaobocat ré razant ná réipéal le n-a beo anír. Oubaint vaoine eile-act ni veinti é reo act i 5005an coir teinead nuain a bloo na rean-oaoine as reancur teo rein can eir out a cootad oo na paircib—oubhavan ro kun viol ré a anam le fean Mon ainite a

capad do uain an mullac Cnuic an Daim agar nac leigread an té reo do an tairneann a cleactad. Mil a fior agam an ríon bhéag na rgéalta ro, act tá a fior agam nán ractar rean-Maitiar ag Airneann Dé le cuimne cinn an duine ba rine an an mbarle. Oudaint Cuimín Ó Miad, rean-fean a ruain bár cúpla bliadain noime reo i n-aoir a deic mbliadan ir ceithe rgón, go draca ré réin ann é nuain a dí ré i n-a rtócac.

Ná rittean 50 mba onoc-ouine rean-Maitiar. Di ré i n-a fean com macánta, com rimplide, com nadúnta ir a carraide ont i do fiubal lae. Mion cluinead ar a béal niam act an veat-focal. Ní paib vúil aise i n-ól ná 1 5comluadan, 1 n-ón ná 1 maoin. Di ré boct, act ir minic a noinnead ré le baoinib ba boièce 'ná é. chuas aise do'n earlan. Di chocaine AIRE DO'N THUAKAN. DI MOD AKUP mear as reapaid eile ain. Di sean as na mniáb, as na páirtíb, asur as na hainmiocio do; agur vi gean aigerean poin-rean agur po sac nío aca spaoman choide-stan.

D'feann le rean-Maitiar comnato ban 'ná comnáo rean. Act b'feann teir compad mathad ir Sinnread 'na comnad rean ná ban. Deinead ré sun Cuigreanaige na mná 'ná na rin agur Sun cuisteanaise na páircí 'ná ceaccan 1r i brocain an oneama ois a caitead ré an cuio ir mó dá aimrin oiomaoinis. Suidead ré leo i scuinne tike as innreact regalta doib no as baint reéalta arta. D'iongantaciao a curo reéalta. Di Cactha an Sionnain Klair an beireact an bomain aise. D'é an t-aon trean-ouine an an mbaile é a naib reéal Phéacáin na sCeanc 'r an Opeoitin 1 Sceape aise. a cuinead reannnad an na páircib ir é ag aithir an "rú rá réaróg" ratait an Vá Ceann, ir nac é a bainead na Sáiní arta as cun ríor an imteactaib an piobaine i 5Cairleán an cSeitmide! Azur na hampáin a bí aise! D'féroin leir leand bheordre a meallat cum ruain le n-a-"Seoitin red, ir covait, a peaca, Tá an rtuat rive amuit at riubat an tleanna!"

no clockad teir tion cize de paircib a cup i depicib zaipe te n-a— "Naid didit dum, an cac ir a macaip, A d'imciz zo Zaitlim az mapcaideace an dandat!"

Asur nac aise bi na rean-nanna speannmana; asur na chuaid-ceirceanna deacha; asur na comaireanna bheasca! Maidin le cluicib, ca naib an te, rean, bean, no pairte, a d'réadrad "Lúnabos, Lanabos" no "An Duidean Dato" a coinsbeáil an riubal leir?

San uain breat if an taoid an chuic no at fiudal na bpontac a d'feicrea rean-Maitiar if a compatation de beatad na piotán if na miol serionna doid, no at hiomad reéalta i deadh na thainneoise if an iophaid huaid. Tamall eile doid at bádóineact, maide páma at an rean-fean, ceann eile at buacaillín beat éitin, atur d'feidin teath at triúnad. If minic a cluinead na daoine a bíod at odain i n-aice na tráta táir an bpáirtí at ceact cuca ó béal an

cuain, nó d'féidip stop fean-Maiciair ir é as sabáit fuinn—

"Ono! mo cupaicin O!

Ir ono! mo daioin!"—

no nuo éigin man é.

Tagad partifor an curd de na maitheacaid rgaitte agur deinidír te céile nán ceant dóid leigean dá gclainn an oinead rin aimrine a caiteam i brocain rean-Maitiair—"rean nac dtaitigeann ond ná Airneann." Uain amáin noct dean aca na rmaointe reo doin átain Seagán. 'Sén'o dubaint an ragant—

"Ná bac leir na páirtíb bocta," an reirean. "Ní řéadraidír a beit i scomluadan ní b'řeann."

"Act beintean tiom nac scheideann ré i n'Oia, a Actain."

"It iomòa naom 'rna flaitit inoiu nan cheid i n'Oia that da raosal. Asur cosain mé reo. Muna bruil shad as rean-Maiciar do Oia—nud nac rearac duit-re no dom-ra—it ionsantac an shad atá aise do'n nid it ailne 'r it slaine dan chutuis Oia—anam sléiseal an pairce. Dí an

sháð céadna as an Slánuisteoin réin asur as na naomaið ir slónmaine an neam dóið. Cá brior dúinn nac iad na páircí a tappainseocað reanmaiciar so slún an Slánuisteona rór?"

Azur rázad an rzéal man rin.

An maioin Tomnait reo o'tan an rean-rean as eirceact no sun read clos an Airninn vá bualav. Nuain a bi veinead leir, leis ré ornad, man leigread an té a mbead cuma ir cuinre ain, agur cug ré a agaid an an πουισιη παίρας α δί ας γύς πασ σοίδ ngiodan rein-an An ۵n " faitce" a beinead rean-Maiciar ain -as an schor-botan. Vi aitne as rean-Maitiar an sac pataine ceann-CATAC COr-noctuitte ACA. nionb' reapp Leir caiteam aimpine an bit 'ná beit i n-a fuide annfin as bneatnuża opta ir az eirceacc leo. Di ré 'Sá Scomaineam, as réacainc CIA ACA DÁ CÁIPOID DÍ ANN ASUP CIA aca bi imtiste 'un an Airpinn Leir na Odoinib rárta, nuain a tur ré rá deana pairte i n-a mears nac braca re piam noime. Sarún beas donn, a naid cóta bán ain man dí an sac mathac eite, asur é san dhósa san caipín, man ir snátac te páirtíd an lantain. Dí éadan an mathais reo com roittreac teir an nshéin, asur ractar do fean-maitiar so naid man dead saete rotuir as teact ó n-a ceann. An spian as tonnhad an a cuid shuaise, d'féidin.

Di iongnad an an rean-fean rá an bpáirce reo reiceál, man níon cuala ré so naid aon repainréanaí can éir ceace an an mbaile. Di ré an ci oul anonn agur ouine σe na γςυμαζαίδ beaga a ceircniugao i n-a caoib, nuain a cuata ré steo ir stiadan na nosoine as ceace a baile o'n Airpeann. Nion sinis re an uain as rleamnusao tainir faio ir bi a aino an clearaib na ngarún. Deannuig curo de na daoinio do as sabáiltainir voit ir beannuit reirean voit-rean. nuain a tus ré ruit an an reaca malpac apir, ni paib an pairce beonata 1 n-a mears.

An Tomnac 1 n-a viair pin bi rean-Maitiar 1 n-a ruive le hair a vorair, man ba snátac. Di an pobal bailiste rian cuis an Airpeann. Di an oneam os as niteact ir as caiteam leim an an braitce. As niteact ir as caiteam leim an an braitce. As niteact ir as caiteam leim 1 n-a vocain vi an páirte veorata. D'féac Maitiar ain an read 1 vrao, man tus ré taitneam a choive voi inseall an áilneact a peanran asur sile a éavain. Sa veinead slaoid ré anall an duine ve na buacaillib beasa.

"Cia hé an mathac útan feicim in bun mears te coictisir, a Coitín?" an reirean—"é rin a bruit an cloiseann tonn ain,—act rainic nac ban-nuat atá ré: nít a fior asam an tub nó rionn é'r an caoi a bruit an spian as rsaltat ain. An breiceann tú anoir é—é rin atá as nit cusainn?"

"Sin é Topagán," avein an psuhac beas.

[&]quot;Torazán?"

[&]quot;Sin é an t-ainm a tuzar ré ain réin."

[&]quot; C14 ván víob é?"

"Nil a fior agam, act vein re go bruil a Acain i n-a Rig."

"Cé scomnuiseann ré?"

"Nion innir re e rin mam ouinn, act oein re nac rada uainn a teac."

"An mbionn re 1 n-einoit tib 50 minic?"

"Díonn, nuain a bíor rinn as caiteain aimrine buinn réin man reo. Act imtiseann ré uainn nuain a tasar daoine rárta ra látain. Féac! tá ré imtiste ceana!"

breathuit an rean-tean, agur ní naib ann act na malpait a paib aithe aise opta. Dí an Páirte an a otus an sarúinín "forasán" an iappaio. An nóiméao céaona cluinead rotham ir tonmán na noaoine as rillead óin Airpeann.

An céan Domnac eile tuit sac nin amac nineac man tuit an ná Domnac noime rin. Dailis an pobal rian man ba snátac asur rásan an rean-rean asur na páirtí leo réin an an mbaile. Tus choine rean-Maitiair léim i n-a

Láp nuaip a connaic ré an Páirte Neamba i n-a mearz apir.

O'einis re. Cuaid re anonn asur rear re i n-a aice. Can eir camaill i n-a rearam do san connuise, rin re a da laim cuise asur labain re de slon ireal—

" A Torazáin!"

Cuata an leant é agur táinig ré cuige an nit.

" Can i Leit ir ruio an mo stuin so roillín, a Íorasáin."

Cuin an Páirte a lám i láim tanaid chapais an trean-fin agur thialladan cor an coir thearna an bótain. Suid rean-Maitiar an a cataoin agur tannains Ioragán le n-a bhollac.

"Cé scomnuiseann cú, a Iorasáin?" an reirean, as Labainc ór íreal 1 scomnaide.

"Ni pada ap po mo Čeać. Cad čuise nač ocasann cu ap čuajne čusam?"

"Dead partify opm 1 oteat piosoa. Innristean dom 50 bruil c'Atain 1 n-a Ris."

"Ir é Áno-Rí an Domain é. Act nion sabad duit paitéigr a beit ont noime. Tá ré tán de thócaine ir de thád."

"1r baotlac liom nan cointbit me a olite."

"lann maiteamnar ain. Oéanraora ir mo Mátain eadantuide an do ron."

"1r chuas tiom nac braca me noime reo tu, a lorazáin. Cé naib tu uaim?"

"Di mé annyo i scomnaide. Dim as taipteat na mbotan ip as piubat na scnoc ip as theabad na otonn. Dim i tán an pobait nuain chuinnisear piao ipteac i mo teac. Dim i mears na bpáirtí fásar piao i n-a noiaid as clearaideact an an trháid."

"Di mire no-faitceac—no no-uaibneac—le out irteac i oo teac, a forasain; act ruain mé i mears na bpairtí tú."

"Mil aon am ná áit vá mbíonn páirtí ag rúghað vóið réin nac mbím-re i n-a brocain. Amannta cionn riav mé; amannta eile, ní reiceann."

- "Ni faca mire piam cu 50 oci le 501110."
 - " Dionn na vaoine rápta vall."
- "Azur i n-a diaid rin zeallad dom tú feiceál, a Torazáin?"
- "tus m'Atain cead dom me rein a foillpiusad duit de bhis sun tus tu shad da pairtib beasa."

Cluinead Slopta na noadine as rillead d'in Airpeann.

- "Caitrio mé imteate anoir uait."
- "leis σοπ imeall σο έστα α ρόξασ, α ίσγαξάτη."
 - "'Oéan."
 - "An breicrio me anir tu?"
 - " reicrin."
 - " Cia an uaip?"
 - "Anoct."

Leir an brocal rin bi re imtitte.

" reicrió mé anoct é!" apra reanmaiciar agur é ag out irceac ra ceac.

Cáinis an oidée pliué proipmeamail.
Cluinead na connchaéa mópa as bhipead le puamán i n-asaid an éladais. Dí na chainn tape ciméeall an teac an pobail as luarsad ir as

lúbao le neant na saoite. respeat an andan aca as cuscim te ránaio ríor 50 rainnse). Dí an catain Seatan an cí a leaban a búnab agur a paionin a náo nuain a cuala re an conann man a bead ouine as bualad an bonair. D'éirt ré an read reataim. Cuala ré an conann anir. O'éinis ré o'n ceinio, cuaio 50 oci an oonar, agur o'orsail é. Di sarún beas rin i n-a rearam an lic an bonair—Sarun nan cuimneac leir an razanta teiceál piam noime. Di cota ban ain agur é gan bhosa san caipin. factar oo'n crasanc so haib saete roluir as tonnpad o n-a snuir agur cimceall a mullais. An sealac a bí as caitneam αη a caom-ceann bonn, b'féibin.

"Cia cá annro agam?" anr an cácain Seagán.

"Cuin one com capaid 'r ir réidin leac é, a Acain, ir buail roin 50 dei ceac rean-Maiciair. Cá ré i mbéalaid báir."

Mion teartuit an vana rocal o'n rakant.

"Suro anno so mbio me nero,"

an reirean. Act nuain a táinis ré tan air, bí an teactaine beas imtiste.

Duait an tatain Seatan botan, agur níond' fada a dain ré ar, cé so naid an taot i n-a ataid, agur é as dairtis so thom. Di rotur i dteac fean-Maitiair noime. Dain ré an tairte de'n donar ir cuaid irteac.

"Cia hé reo cusam?" app' an suc o leabaid an crean-fin.

"An rasanc."

"Dav mait tiom tabaint teat, a Atain. Suid anno tem' air." Di an sut rann asur tainis na rocta so matt uaid.

Suro an raganc agur cuala rgéal rean-Maiciair ó cúr deinead. Cia an bit nún a bí i schoide an crean-duine noctad do reindíreac de annrin i lán na hoide é. Muain a bí an raoircean canc slac rean-Maiciar Conp Chiorc agur cuinead an Ola deideannac ain.

"Cia oubaint leat 50 haib tú as teartáil uaim, a Atain?" an reirean de stón tas íreat, nuain a bí sac nío déanta. "Dí mé as suide de so

ociocrá, ace ni paib aon ceaceaine agam le cup rá oo déin."

"Δετ είμη τά τελετλίμε είσλαπ, αη ποδίξ?" απείη απ γαξάπε αξίι 10ηςπατό πόη αίη.

"Nion cuinear."

"Nion cumpir? Act taining sarainin beas asur buait re an mo topar asur bubaint re tiom so haib mo consnam as teartait uait!"

Öinis an rean-sean anian ra Leadaid. Öi raodan i n-a súilib.

"Cia an rope zarúipín a bí ann, a Atain?"

"Duacaillín beat caoin a paid cóta bán aip."

"An tus tú rà deana man bead rsáile roluir tant timéeall a éinn?"

"tusar, asur cuip re ionsnao mon opm."

O'féac rean-Maiciar ruar, táinis meansao sáine an a béal, asur fin ré amac a dá láim,—

"Topazán!" an reirean.

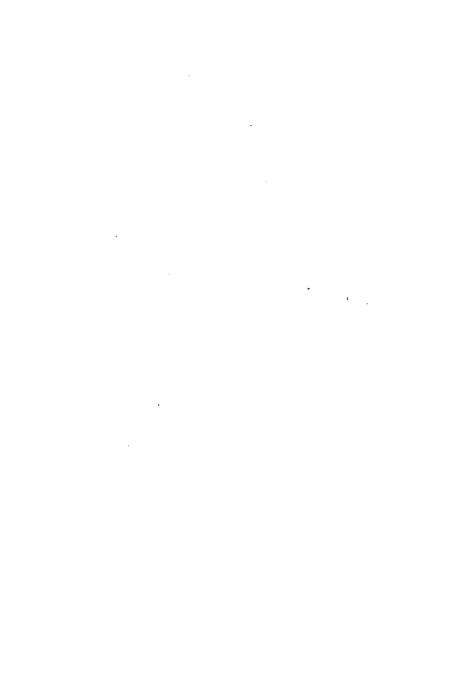
Leir an brocat rin tuit re rian an an leabaid. Onuio an razant anonn so rocain asur dún a rúile.

(Δ ἐμίοἐ μιη).



An Sazarc.





An Sazant.

Ir inra ceac beat uo o'feicrea ra nsteann rior vait, asur tu as out rian an botan o'n nhont mon so hinbean, acá comnaide an mo Sakant. É réin ir a mátain ir a deinbriún beak ir a deanbháichín bear bioeac, rin a bruil be comluavan ann. Caillead an t-atain rul a nusao Caimin, an leant ir oise aca. Nil aon am oá mbim 1 Ror na 5Caonae nae 5caitim tháthóna nó 06 1 n-a brocain, man tá an Sakant Agur Máinín (an Deinbriún Beag) agur Caimín an na cáinoib ir oilre oá bruit agam. Dean digeanta actaide 'read matain an cSasainc; TÁ TÍ NOINNT TAODAC, D'ÉÉIDIN, ACT má tá réin tā rí 1 n-a mnaoi com cantannac ir atá beo i n-a biaib rin. 1r í a o'innir an rséal ro dom chátnona và pabar an cuaint aici. Vi ri as niceacán an csasaint or comain na ceinead an read na haimrine: Dabac mon uirse leasta an an unlan

αιςι, απ δαδαρτ αδυγ α έυιο έασαιξ baince de, agur i ag rgiúnad ir ag cándáil kac onlac dá conp. Tá aimnear onm nán taithit an obain reo so no-mait teir an Sagant, man anoir ir anir cuinead ré béic ar. Le gac béic turad a matain bords beas do asur can 'eire rin pogat ri é. 1r teacain σο πάταιη α λάπ α σοιγπεαύ ο ράιγτε nuain a bior ré noccuiste aici; asur bad deacha 'ná mn do mátain com Knádman leir an mátain reo a béal a coirsead o beilin beas beans com milir le béilín Dánaic (Dánaic ainm mo Sakaine, ed a fior akae). Dad ceant dom a não nac naiv an Sasant act oct mbliadna ror. Da dear an C-áilleán é i n-a fearam annrin agur rolur na ceinead as reaincead an a colainn com-béanta ir an a cloiseann catac, agur ag ninnce i n-a rúilio glara gáineata. Nuain a rmaoinisim an Pápaic, ir man rin a teicim or mo comain é, i n-a tearam an an unlan i lochann na teinead.

ACT 1 OCAOID AN TSEIL. CUAIRIM IP bliadain noime reo 'read tuic re

amac. Vi Nopa (an mátaip) as odain an tuo an tise. Vi Máinin ir Caimín as rúspad doid péin an an unlán. "Fnomró Fnamró" a dí an riudal aca. Vi Máinin a d'iannaid na rocla a múinead do Caimín, nud a dí as clipead uinti, tan é ní naid aon cainnt as Caimín so poill. Cá a fior asat na rocla, ir dois?—ir riú iad fostaim man tá ríon-filideact ionnta:—

"Frompo Frampo,
Dean a daimpeocad,
A déanpad Speann,
A d'olfad leann,
A bead 1 n-am

Annro an maioin!"

Cearcuit canna uirte o nona te nataio cae a béanam. Di ré i n-am ruipéin.

"Cá bruil Pápaic, a Máipín?" ap rire. "Cá ré ap iappaid le leat-uaip."

"Cuaro re rian ra reompa, a Maimin."

"A Pápaic!" aveip an mátaip as staovas so hápo.

Mion Labhurtead irtit.

"'¿Cluin cú, a pápaic!"
Níon Labhuiseao.

"Céapo cá an an ngarún? A panaic, aveinim!" an rire com hánv ir bí i n-a ceann.

"Derò me roip ap ball, a Mama," app' an Suc o'n reompa.

"Coppuit leat, a maicin. Tá ré i n-am tae, agur deaman deon uirge ra teac agam."

tainis Papaic aniap ar an reompa.

"Tả từ an ràthit ra veineav. Speav teat rior—act céanv é reo? Cé bruain từ an teine rin, nó 'tuise a bruit ri ont? Céanv bí từ a véanam?"

Di Papaic i nea fearam ra vonar i nea reaic. Di leine reireiste ain or cionn a coitin bis amuis. Dieatnuis re rior ain rein. Di a asaiv an veans-larav so cluaraib.

"Rinne me veapmav i baint viom, a Mama," an reirean.

"'' 'Cuise a bruit ri one con an



"Sphaoid a bi an bun azam."

"Dain viot an an opuinnte i! An triat atá uait, tú héin agur vo rphaoiv!"

Vain Papaic an teine de San rocal, asur d'éas rian ra reomna i.

"Squab lear rior to ori an toban anoir atur rat canna uirte dom, man a déanrad peata." Di aitméata an Nona ceana réin tun labain ri com tand rin teir. Ir bean i nac buan a curo reinte.

Rus Pápaic ap an scanna asur tars teir. Čáinis Micilín Eanna, buacaill comupran, irceac faio ir bí ré amuis.

"Tả rẻ as cinht opm-ra, a Micitin," apra Nópa tạp éir rsat-aim, "a béanam amac céapo a bíor Pápaic a béanam ra reompa rin ap read an tráthóna. Ní túirse a binnéap caitte aise sac tá ná stanar ré teir irteac annrin asur bíonn ré ap iappaid so ham ruipéip."

"Sphaoid eicing a biog an bun aise," appa Micilin.

"Sin é avein ré héin. Act ní ra teac bav ceant vo mathac man é a beit ráitte tháthóna bheat, act amuit rán aen, at hopav leir."

"'Aoibnear buine a toil,'" apra Micilin, as beapsab a biopa.

"Ouine ann héin 'read Pápaic, an cuma an bit," adein Nóna. "'Sé an mac ir contráilte connaic tú niam é. Amannta ní tiudhad thiún aine dó, agur amannta eile ní aineoctá ra teac é."

Táinis Pápaic irceac raoi reo, asur níon cainneisead a cuillead an an sceire. Níon éaluis ré rian an tunar ro, act i n-a leabaid rin ruid ré raoi an an unlán, as imine "Fromró Framró" le Máinín ir le Caimín.

Di an vinnéan an an mbono nuain a táinis pápaic a baile o'n rsoil chátnóna lá an n-a bápac. O'it ré a cuiv leice asur v'ól ré a naisin bainne so buiveac beannactac. Com luat ir bi itte asur olta aise, choc ré leir a máilín leaban, asur rian leir ra reomna man ba snátac. Tion teis an matain uinti so naib ri as cun aon truim ann. Act, tan eir cupta noimead, o'orsait ri donar an treomna so ciúin, asur ráit bann a rhóine irteac. Ní tus Pánaic rá deana í, act dí amanc aici-ri an sac a naib an riudat ra reomna.

D'airteac an t-amanc é. Di Pánaic 1 n-a rearam 1 n-aice an buino, asur é stéarta ran téine anir. Or a cionn ro amuis, rian tan a suait-nib, bi ré as reirtiusad cota deins te n-a mátain, a biod an chocad an an mballa aici. Nuain a bi ré reo coiniste i sceant ain, tos ré amac an leaban ba mó dá naid aise i n-a máilín—"An 'Oana leaban" a bi ann, cheidim—d'orsail é, asur leat or a comain an an mbord é, i n-a leat-luise leir an rsátán.

Annrin a toruit na soití vá pípib. Sear Pápaic an ataiv an buiro amac, v'feac a tiún, coirpis é réin, asur toruit ain as paivneoineact or áno. Ní so mait bí nópa i n-ann é tuispint, act, ve péin man ceap rí, bí Laivin asur Saevils mearsta trí

n-a ceite aire, arur bi conn-rocal aise nan cormail le Laioin na le Saedils. Dobta amain b'factar oi 50 Scuala ri na rocla "fromro, Frampo," act ni haib pi cinnte. meio iongnad da naib an Nona ra'n obain reo, ba react mo an t-iongnad a bi uinti nuain a connaic ri Panaic ας υπίυζαό, ας υυαίαό α υότα, ας posad an buind, as teising ain so paid ré as léisead unnaiste laione ar "An Dana Leaban," agur ag imint rac clear a b'airtite 'ná a céile. Mion tuis ri 1 sceant céano a bi an bun aize sun ionneuis ré tant asur בין וגלווסג :---

" Dominus Vobiscum!"

"'Sabalaid 'Oia pinn!" an pipe léiti péin nuain a connaic pi é peo.
"Cá pé as cun i scéill so bruil pé i n-a pasant asur é as léisead Airninn! Sin i culaid an Airninn atá ain, asur 'pé an leaban beas Saedilse leaban an Airninn!"

Hi arobeit a nat so nait Hona I sannnuiste. Cainis ri an air too'n circeanais asur ruit or comain na teinead. Mi paid a fior aici céapo bad ceapt di a déanam. Di ri idip dá comainte cia aca bad copa di Pápaic a cup thearna a stúine asur spioráit mait a tabaint dó nó dut ap a dá stúin poime asur a deannact a iappaid!

"Cá brior dom," an rire téiti réin, "nac peacad uatbárac dom leisean dó aithir a déanam an an rasant man rin? Act cá brior dom, i n-a diaid rin, nac naom ar na ftaitir atá ra teac asam? Asur, an ndois, bad millteac an peacad é tám a teasaint an naom! So maitid Oia dom é, ir minic a d'fás mé nian mo méan ain ceana! Ní mé an peacad dom é? Tá mé i deannta, so cinnte!" Níon codait Nóna néalt an oidce rin, act as cun na ceirte reo thí céile.

Maioin là an n-a bánac, com cúirse ir bí Pánaic stanca teir cum rsoite, cuin Nóna an star an an vonar, v'fás an vá páirce ósa rá cúnam mátan Micitin, asur buail an botan 50 Rop na 5Caonac. Mion bain ri méan và rhóin nó sun tus ri teac an trasaint pobait vi réin asur sun innir a rséala ó túr veineav vo'n Atain Rónán. Mi veanna an rasant act meansav sáine, act vi Mona teir nó sun vain ri seallav ve so nsavrav ré an botan amac cuici an thátnóna rin. Lars téiti a vaile annrin so rárta.

Hion clip an rasant unci. Ouail re irteac cuici ra thathona. Thatamail so leon, bi Panaic ra reomna as "leisead Airninn."

"An c'anam ir ná labain, a Atain!" anra Nóna. "Cá ré irciż."

Téaluis an beine an bann a scor anonn so ori vonar an treomna. Veancavan irteac. Vi Pánaic stéarta ran téine asur ran scora so vineac man vi an lá noime rin, asur é as suive so veasmóiveac. Sear an rasant rsatam as bheathusavain.

FA Deinead, D'ionntuit mo duine tant, agur as tabaint aitte an an bpodal, man 'dead—

"Orate, fratres," an reirean amac or ano.

Le tinn é reo a par, connaic ré a matain agur an ragant ra vonar. Veang ré agur rear gan connuise.

"Sab 1 teit annro cusam," avein an tatain Ronan.

tainis papaic anall so paitceac.

"Céapo é reo atá an bun agat?" anr' an ragant.

"Di me as teisead Airpinn, a Atain," apra Pápaic. Oudaint ré an meio reo so cútait, act da tein nán ceap ré so naid aon ceo ar an mbeatac déanta aise—asur an ndois, ni mo di. Act di Nona boct an chaitead te paitior.

"na bi no-chuard air, a Atair," ar rire,—"nit ré act 05."

leas an pasant a lam so headthom an ceann ban an proicin, asur laban re so ciúin cheapta leir.

"Tả từ pó-05 róp, a papaicin," avein ré, "Le beit i vo rasant, asur nil ré seallta v'éinne act vo rasant dé an tairpeann a náv. Act cosap i leit asam. An mait leat beit

as phiotail'an Aippinn Oia Tomnais?"

Lar ruite Pápaic agur deang a gruad anir, ni le cútaileact an tunar ro act le bann niméio.

- "Opa, bad mait, a Atain," an reigean; "nit nuo an bit a b'feann tiom."
- "Teicim so bruit curo de na paroneacaid asac ceana."
- "Act, a Ataip, a muipnin,—" appa Opisio, asur reop map rin so hobann.
- "Céano tá anoir ont?" avein an rasant.
- "Onirce na bhosa nion cast re ror!" an rire. "Ir tuat tiom bhirte a cun ain so---"

Staint an patant at tainibe.

"Nion cuata me piam," an reirean, "so paid catt te drifte. Cuintimid cardisin deas or cionn a cota amuis ain, asur mire 'mo dannaid so pacard re so dear do. Maidin te drosaid, ta peine asainn a d'fas Maintin an larsaine 'n-a diaid nuain a cuaid re so dti an Clocán. Stéar-

ramuro i zceant tú, a Pánaic, nít baotal," an reirean. Azur man rin a rochuiteat é.

Nuoin a bi an pasant imtiste chom an mátain asup pos a maicin.

"mo tháo tú!" an rire.

As out a cootad of an order pin, blad ha focta defined adubated fitting fin: "Derd mo maicin 1 n-a fasanc! Asur cá brior dom," an rire as dúnad a rút di, "cá brior dom nac 1 n-a earpos a bead ré amac annro!"

(A chíoc rin.)







Bairbre.

n-a ceite aise, asur bi conn-focat aise nan cormait le Laioin na te Saevils. Dobta amain b'factar ti 50 Scuala ri na rocla "fnomro, framro," act ni haib ri cinnte. 'Oá meio iongnad da naib an Nona ra'n obain reo, ba react mo an t-iongnad a bi uinti nuain a connaic ri Panaic as umlusad, as bualad a ucca, as posad an buino, as teising ain so naid ré as léisead unnaiste laione ar "An Dana Leaban," agur ag imint sac clear a b'airtise 'na a ceile. Nion tuis ri 1 sceant céano a bi an bun aize zun ionneuiz re tane azur -: שוושמוסה

" Dominus Vobiscum!"

"'Sabataid 'Oia pinn!" an pipe their phin nuain a connaic pi è peo.
"Cà pè as cun i scèitt so bruit pe i n-a pasant asur è as thisead Airninn! Sin i cutaid an Airninn atá ain, asur 'pè an leaban beas saeditse leaban an Airninn!"

Hi arobeit a pao 50 paro nopa 1 Sannpuiste. Cainis ri ap air oo'n circeanais asur furo or comain na

bainbhe. I.

Ní naib Vaindne nó-flactman an lá a b'feann a bí rí. O'aomócao éinne an méio rin. An céao cár de, bi ri ream-caoc. Déanrá, le bneathurad uinti, 50 naib ri an teat-ruit. Nion teill Unitioin mam to naib, amtac. Uain amain od noubaing cailin beag eile, le conp uilc an an mbeint aca, nac naid as Dainbne act "leat-ruilin caoc an nór cuit an táilliúna," oubaine Unitioin so reansac so naiv a od ruit as bainbne com mait le ouine, act sunab amlaid biod leat-ruil ounca aici, man 50 mbad leon téiti an c-aon ceann amain (biod ir 50 mba ceann caoc i) le hataio a cuio Snota a déanam. Diod rin man ata, ni reivin a ceite so haib plaicin innei; agur rágaim tem' air nac bear an nuo plaitin i n-o5-mnaoi. Ruo eile, bi ri 1 n-a balbán; nó bad cince dom a náo nán labain ri le héinne niam act le Unitivin amain. Má b'tion TO Unitioin, bi ceansa blarca Saeditse aici asur bi a cuid pmaointe an aitneact an domain. Ni so mait bi ri i n-ann riudat, tan é bi ri an leat-coir asur bi an leat-cor rin réin bhirte. Di dá coir aici thát, act d'it an sadan ceann aca, asur bhiread an ceann eile ran áit an tuit ri de bann an dhiriúin.

Act cia hi Vainbne, anta tura, no cia hi Unitioin? 'Si Unitioin an tinnread beat no, man adéantad ri rein, an Karuinin beak mná, acá i n-a comnaide ra tead ir some do tead an maisircin, -- an taoib na ciocóise an noois, as out roin an botan ouic. 1r cormail so n-aitniseann cu anoir i? Muna n-aitnitin, nil neant atamra onc. Nion cuatar mam cia dan viob i, agur oubaint ri rein tiom nac bruil d'ainm an a hatain acc "Dearoe." Maioin le Dainbne,read, tá ré com mait agam eactha agur imteacta Vaindne innreact duit thio rior.

eactra vairore annso.

La van einis matain Opisivin, tus ri a monicrarea vo Opisivin asur va

hatain, do'n sadan, do'n cuitin, do na samnaid, do na ceancaid, do na séadaid, do na lacain, asur do'n rpideoisin a tasad so dtí an donar am dhicrarta sac uile maidin. Nuain a dí an méid rin déanta aici d'it rí a dhicrarta réin. Annrin toruis rí 'sá sléarad réin le hasaid an dótain.

bi bhistoin i n-a puide an a proilín péin san pmid aipri, act i as cun na púl thí n-a mátain. Sa deinead tian tall labain rí:—

"Oruil Mama as imteace o Onis-

"nit, a proip. Ciocpaid Mama apip rpathona. Cá pi az out zo Saitlim."

"Opuit Opigioin as out ann preigin?"

"Mit, a cuid. Tá an beatac pófada agur bead mo caitín beag cuipreac. Fançaid ri ra mbaite ag déanam replacid di réin, man a déanrad caitín mait. Mac brançaid?"

[&]quot;fançaid."

[&]quot;Ni pacato ri amac ap an erpato?"

[&]quot;Ní nacaio."

"Ciocrato Deatoe intead am oinnein agur beid beile agaib le ceile. Cabain pog to Mama anoin."

Tugad an pog agur di an matain ag imteacc. Phead Opigidin i n-a rearam.

"A Mama!"

"Céapo é héin, a púin?"

"nac ociubpaid cu réipin a baite cuis Opisioin?"

"Ciubrao, a curo. Péipin vear."

O'imcis an mácain agur o'fan

Opisioin so rárca ra mbaile. Suro

ri rúici an a rcóilín. Dí an savan i

n-a lúib or comain na ceinead agur

é as rhannad. Oúiris Onisioin é

"Ciubparo Mama reipin a baile cuis Oristoin!"

Agur cuin cogan i n-a cluair-

"Dup!" app' an savan asur cuard a coolad of rein apir. Di a rior as Dristoin supp' tonann "Dup!" asur "Mait an rseat!"

Di an cuitin i na puide an an ceallac. Cos Onisioin i n-a da laim é, cuimit a cealltan da leiceann, asur cuin cosan i n-a cluair—

"Ciubparo Mama reinin a baite cuis Opisioin."

"mi—ama!" app' an cuicin. Di a fior as Opisioin supo' ionann "mi—ama!" asup "mait an pseal!"

leas ri an cuicin uaiti asur v'imtis an ruo an tise as sabail fuinn vi rein. Rinne ri ampan beas man leanar:—

"A sadaipin o'r a sadaipin o!
Codail so roill so ocisid mo
Mama!

Δ cuitin 6 'r a cuitin 6!

Di aς chonan so στιςιό ri a baite!

Δ ξαθαιπίη 6 'r a cuitin 6!

An an aonac o! atá mo Mama, Act tiocraió rí anir tháthóinin o! Ir tiubhaió rí réinin téití a baite!"

Tus ri iappact ra'n ampan ro a muineard ro'n sadap, act ir mo an rouit a di as an nsadap i scoolad'na i sceol. Tus ri iappact ra n-a muineard ro'n cuitin, act ba binne leir an scuitin a chonan rein. Nuaip tainis a hataip irteac ra meadon

Lae ní déantad tada cúir di act an t-amhán a hád dó agur a cun d'iallac ain é fostaim de stan-meabain.

O'fill an matain a baile noim thatnona. D'é an céar focal arubaint Dhistroin—

- "An tus tu an reinin leat, a Mama?"
 - "Cusar, a cuirte."
 - "Céapo a tus cú leac?"
- "Tomair!" Di an matain i n-a rearam i tăn an untăin. Di a măta teasta an an untăn aici asur a tăma taob tian di.
 - "Sweets?"
 - "ni neao!"
 - "Cáca milir?"
- "ni head, muip'! Tá cáca milip i mo mála agam act ni hé rin an réinin."
- "Péine reocai!" Níon éait Dhítioin bhósa ná reocaí hiam agur b'fada di as chútán leo.
- "Ni head, so beimin! Tá tú pôos le hasaid ptocai so foillín."
- "Leavan unnaiste!" Ni savad dom a não nac paro Opision i n-ann

teizeat (tap e niop cuip ri ta irteac ap rzoit i n-a raozat), act ceap ri zo paib. "Leabap upnaizte!" ap rire.

"Ni head, con an bit!"

"Céapo é héin, 'o eile?"

"Opeatnuit!"

Leat an mátain a vá táim, agur céand a noctrad ri act dábóigín!
Dábóigín beag ádmaid a naid plaitín innti, agur í geam-caoc; act bí a dá gnuaid com deang le caon agur bí rmigead gáine an a béal. Éinne a mbead cion aige do bábógaib, tiubnad ré gean agur gnád di. Lar rúile Dhísidín le hátar.

"Ona, nac vear i! Ana, a Mama, a choide, cé bruain tú i? Ona ó! Déid páirte agam vem' cuid héin anoir—páirte vem' cuid héinin héin! Déid páirte ag Dhigidin!"

Rus ri an an mbábóisin asur d'ráirs le n-a choide i. Pós ri a plaicin beas maol ir a dá shuaid deansa. Pós ri a béilin ir a rhóinin seanncac. Annrin cuimnis ri uinci réin, choc a ceann, asur an rire le n-a mácair—

"poc!" (man rin aveinead bniżroin "poz").

O'irtis an matain no sun pos an cailín beas i. Annrin b'éisin oi an bábóisín a posao. Cáinis an t-atain irteac an an bpuinnte rin asur cuinead rá noeana oo-ran an clear céadha a déanam.

ní paid tada as déanam imnide do Drísidin an read an tráthóna rin act cia an t-ainm a dairtread rí an an mbádóis. Mot a mátain "matai" di asur ceap a hacain so mbad reiteamnac an t-ainm "Peisí." Act ní paid ceactan aca ro rátac satánta, dan te Dnísidin.

"Cuize an cuzao 'Onizioin' onmra, a Oeaioe?" an rire can éir ruipéin.

"Oubaire na rean-mna sur cormait teo' Oncait Páoraic tú, asur ó tárta nárb' féioir 'Páoraic' a bairtead ort, bairtead 'Orísio' ort, mar b'factar dúinn surb' é an rud ba soire dó é."

"Mear to an cormail i reo (an babos) tem' Oncail Páphaic, a Deaire?"





"O, ní copmail con an bit. Cá c'Oncail Pádhaic bán—agur cheidim so bruil réards anoir ain."

"Cia teir ir cormait i, 'o eite?"

"Muire, bad beacain a nád, a cailín ó!—bad beacain rin."

Rinne Opigioin mactnam an pead tamaitt. Di a hatain as baint a cuid éadais di or comain na teinead an pead an ama ro, man di ré i n-am aici beit as out a coolad. Nuain a di bainte di cuaid ri an a stuinib, cuin a dà taimin te ceite, asur toruis uinti man ro:—

"A Topa Chiopta, so mbeannuisid tu asur so rábálaid tu rinn! A Topa Chiopta, so mbeannuisid tu Öeaide asur Mama asur Dhistoin, asur so scuipid tu rlán rábáilte ó tudairte asur o anacain na bliadna rinn, má'r é toil mo Slánuisteona é. A Dia, so mbeannuisid tu m'Oncail Pádhaic, atá anoir i 'Meriocá, asur m'Aint Dairdhe—" Stad rí so hobann asur cuir sáir átair airti.

"Tá ré agam! tá ré agam, a Deaide!" an rire.

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"Céapo tá agat, a spád? Fan go schiochuisió tú do cuio paidheaca." "M'Aint Daindhe! Ir cormail lem' Aint Daindhe i!"

"Cia ip copmail leo' Aint Daindne?"

"An Bibbisin! Sin é an t-ainm a
tiubhar mé uinti! Daindne!"

Leis an t-atain a rean-reaint saine rut an cuimnis ré nac paib na paioneaca chiochuiste. Ni deanna Dhistoin saine an bit, act tean uinti man ro:—

"O! a dia! so mbeannuisid tu m'Oncait padpaic, atá andir i 'Mepiocá, asur m'Aint Daiphpe, asur' (reo asuirín a cuir rí réin teir) "asur so mbeannuisid tu mo daiphpe beas héin asur so scoindisid tu ó peacad marbta i! Amén, a tisearna!"

Staint an t-atain at tainide anir. D'féac Dhitioin ain atur iontnad uinti.

"Squab teat rian anoir agur irteac in vo teabaid teat so beo!" an reirean com tuat ir v'réav ré tabaint te saine. "Asur na véan veanmav an Vaindne!" an reirean.

"Ir bear an baotal!" Sian teiti ra reomna arur irteat ra teabaid teiti de teim. Di cinnte nan deanmaid ri Daindne.

O'n orôce rin amac ni nacao Unitioin a coolad an on ná an ain-Seao San Dainbne a beit ra leabaid aici. Ni ruidread ri cum biad a carteam san Vainbne a beit i n-a ruice te n-a hair. Ni sabrao ri amac as véanam spinn vi réin san Dainbne a beit i n-a rocain. Tomnac amáin a deus a mátain léiti cuis an Airneann i, ní naið Dnitioin rárta san Dainbne a tabaint ann rheirin. takan bean comuntan irceac ak cuaincéineact nac scuincide Dainbne i n-aithe oi. Lá dán buail an rasant irceac cuca o'iann Unitioin ain a beannace a tabaine oo bainbne. Cus re a beannact to Unitioin rein. Sit rire sun do'n babois a tus ré i, asur bi ri lan-crarca.

Sochuit Opitioin paptur beat bear do Baiphe an baph an opitiun. Cuata ri so haib paptur as a haint Daiphe (1 nuaccap And a bi pire

1 n-a comnaide) agur ceap ri nán món và bainbhe-re pantur a beit aici com mait le ouine. Cuit mo Bainbne boct de bann an oniriúin lá, man D'innritear ceana, atur bniread 1r 10mba cimpirce leat-cor léiti. tainir rin o'éinis oi. Lá eile nus an ζαθαη μιητι αζυς δί 'ζά γτηδιςeαθ ó céile 50 ocáinis mátain Unitioin vo cavain uinti. V'ran an leat-cor řlán az an nzadan. Čuit ří irteac ran abainn uain eile agur hóbain so mbaitride i. 'Sé atain Unificin a tainis to consnam unti an tunar ro. 1r beas nan baitead Onisioin rein agur i a o'iannaio i tanntail o ponc na habann.

Má bi Daiphpe san a beit póbatamail an céao lá a otáinis pi,
luiseann pé le náoún nac peaph an
place a bi uinti tan éir bliabain a
cup bi. Ace ba cuma le Opisioin
batamail nó mi-batamail i. Cus pi
spád a choide di d'in scéad nóiméad
an leas pi púil uinti, asur ir as
méadusad a bi an spád pin ó lá so
lá. Nac as an mbeire aca a biod an

speann nuair a v'fásav an mátair an teac rá n-a scúram trát a mbíov ri ar cuairt tis comurran! Díov an t-urlár rsuabta asur na plátaí niste aca roimpi nuair a v'filleav rí. Asur nac ar an mátair a bíov an t-ionsnav, mar 'veav!

"An i Opitioin a than an c-uplan of Mama?" averges of.

"Opigioin agur Daindne," adeinead an cailin beag.

"Muire, ni' mé beo céand a déanrainn muna mbead an being agaib!" adeinead an mátain. Agur nac an Unitidin a bíod an niméad agur an bhoo!

Agur na Laeteannta rata rampaio a cuipitor toto an taoit an chuic, i mears na paitnise agur na mblát!— Opisitoin as bailiusat noinini ir méipini ir bainne bo blioctáin agur Daiphne 'sá scomaineam ti (man teipeat ri); Opisitoin as rioptainnt agur as innreact rséalta nac scuala tuine ná taonnaide (ní áipmisim bábóisin) a leitéid piam poime ná o roin, agur Daiphne as

eirceact leiti;—caitriò re 50 mbioò ri as eirceact 50 haineac, man ni tasaò rocal ar a beal.

'Sé mo bapamait nac paib geappcaile i gConnactaib ná, dá n-abhocainn é, ran Roinn Coppa, ba fárta fonaraige 'ná Dhigidin na tacteannta úd; agur rágaim te hudact nac paib bábóigin rá tuige na ghéine ba fárta fonaraige 'ná Dainbhe.

Sin man bi 50 ocainis niam Cinn Oin.

II.

D'ar Daile Áta Cliat oo Mam Cinn Oin. Dean uaral a tâinis oo'n Sont Món as roslaim Saeoilse, seall ri noim imteact oi so scuintead ri reod éisin cuis Onisioin. Asur, an noois, cuin. Lá amáin, tuainim ir reactmain tan éir imteact oi, fiudail Deantlí an Dorta irteac i lán na cirteanaise asur leas borsa món an an unlán.

"Ouic-re, a bean 65," an reirean te Onitroin.

[&]quot;Ana, céano tá ann, a Deantí?"
"Cábrior dom? Sideos, b'féidin."

"O bo! Cé bruain cú é?"

"O finin beas stap, a haib reards fada somm ain, caipin deans an a multac, asur é an mancaideact an sionnfiad."

"Ona, 'deatoe! Agur céand oubaint ré leat, a Deantli?"

"Deaman ceo adubant ré act 'Caban é reo do Dnisidin, ir mo beannact,' asur ar so bhátac teir te rméidead do rút."

Cáim i n-aimpear naph' fion oo Deapeli an euaipirs reo an rao, ace cheio Opisioin sac rocal oi. Slaoid ri an a matain, ran aic a paib ri ireis ra reompa as cosail na haice can éir an bhicrarca.

"A Mama, a Mama, borga mon to Onigioin! Finin beat star a naid réards rava somm ain a tus to Deancti an Porta é!"

Cainis an macain amac asur bailis Deancti teir.

"A Maimin, a Maimin, orgait an borga so capaio! Ceapann Deancti so mb'féirin sur riveos atá ann! Connuis teat, a Maimin, nó cá brior

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ouinn nac mucraide ipris pa mbopsa

Seapp an mátaip an téad. ri an paipean ve'n vorsa. Cos ri an clán. Céano a bead ann, i n-a luite 50 bear clutman ra mborsa man a bead páirte i Ecliabán, act an bábós ir áilne 'r ir Kleoice vá braca rúil niam! Di rolt on-buide uinti agur é ag cuicim i n-a buclaib chiopallaca tan a bhátair ir tan a suailnib. tuirne an nóir i n-a teiceann. 'Si an cramail bearrainn vá béilín vá caon caontainn, agur ba geall le péanlaib a véav. Dí a rúile vúnta. Di cularo Beal Pioda as cumbac a cuinp, agur bhat beans rhoit or a cionn rin amuis. Di muince niamnac ve clocaib uairle ra n-a pib, agur man bann an na hiongantaraib an rao bi mionn niotoa an a ceann.

"Dainfiosan!" appa Opisioin oe sut ireat, man di ronc psata uinti noim an crideois stopmain reo. "Dainfiosan o Cinna nos! reac, a Mama, ta ri i n-a cootad. Mear tu an nouireocaid ri?"

"Tois i to laim i," a tein an matain. Sin an cailín beas a tá láim amac so paitceac, leas so huppamac an an mbábóis ionsantais iat, asur pá teineat tós ar an mborsa i. Ní túirse nus rí uinti 'ná to'orsail an bábós a rúile asur atubaint te slón caoin binn:—

"mam-a!"

"Oia dan mbeannacad," app' an macain as seappad comarca na choire uinti réin, "tá upladha aici!"

Di paoban neam-śnátać i púilib Dpiśrdin azur bi larad neam-śnátać i n-a ceann-aśaid. Act ni dois liom so naib ri leat com rzannnuiste ir bi an mátain. Dionn páirtí az rúil le hionzantaraib i zcomnaide, azur nuair tuitear nuo ionzantać amać ni cuipeann ré an oipead uatbáir opta ir cuipear an daoinib rárta.

"Tuise nad mbead uplatha aid?" appa Dristoin. "Nad truit uplatha as Daiphpe? Add ip tinne i trao a sut po 'na sut Daiphpe."

Mo téan tú, a Bainbhe! Cá naib tú an read na haimrine reo? In oo tuite an an untan ran ait an tuit tú ar taim bhitirin nuain táinis beantí irteac. Ní rearac mé an scuata tú na bhiatha ro ó béat do canad. Má cuatair, ir deanbta so mb'annains thí do choide 140.

Lean Opigioin unch as Labanc. Laban ri so renocta, a da rúil an Larad i n-a ceann:—

"Dainpiotan i reo," an rire.
"Dainpiotan rive! Féac an culaiv breat atá uinti! Féac an bhat rhoil atá uinti! Féac an mionn áluinn atá uinti! Ir cormail i leir an mbainpiotain úvan a paib Stiopán na Stéalta as tháct uinti an oide ceana,—an bainpiotan a táinis tar rainpse ó tír na nOs ar marcaideact ar an eac bán. Cia an t-ainm a bí ar an mbainpiotain rin, a Mama?"

"11am Cinn Oip."

"Seo i Miam Cinn Oin!" app' an cailin beas. "Cairbeanraid mé do Sciopán i an céad uain eile tiocrar ré! Mac ain a béar an c-átar i reiceál, a Mama? Di reaps ain an oide rá deinead nuain adubaint mo

Deside nac bruit proeoza an bit ann. Di a tior azam-ra nac naib mo Deside act az mazaro."

Mion mait tiom a não sun ribeos Miam Cinn Oin, man rit Onizioin, acc ir bois tiom so haib phaoideacc éigin ag baint léiti; agur táim láncinnce so naiv Unitivin rein ra σηλοισελές ο'n noimeλο λ σελίπις ri irceac ra ceac. Muna mbead so naib, ní řásrad rí Dainbne i n-a tuise léiti réin an an unlán an read an thátnona kan rocal a não leiti ná riú amáin cuimniugao uinci 50 ham coolata; ná ni tabrao ri a coolao san Dainbne a tabaint irceac ra leabaid léiti man ba knátac. Ir an éikin a cheidrea é, acc 'rí an bainníotan os a covail i brocain Unitivin an oioce rin i n-ionao an companais bis vilir a cooluigead i n-a rocain sac oidce Le bliadain.

O'fan Daindne i n-a Luise an an untan so bruain mátain Unisioin í, ir sun tos ir sun cuin ruar an bann an oniriúin í ran áit a naid a pántúr beas réin. Cait Daindne an oidce

rin an bann an onipiùn. Mon cuatar sun ainis Onisioin na a matain na a hatain aon caoineacán o'n scirteanais i tan na hoide, asur teir an fininne a nad ni mearaim sun fit Daindhe deon. Act ir cinnte so naid ri bhonac so teon, i n-a tuise i n-ainde annrud teiti rein, san tam a capad 'sa teitead, san dear colna a capad 'sa teitead, san duine na deonaide i n-a haice, san ruaim an dit a ctoirteait, act amain na ruamanna ranna rion-uaisneaca a dior te ctoirteait i deac i n-am mandta na hoide.

III.

1r 1 n-a ruide no 1 n-a tuige an bann an onimuin a cait Dainbne bundice na náite MAG Scionn. D'annam a Labpuigear Opigioin Leiti; asur nuain a labnuiteat, ni teineat ri act, "Di 1 to cailin mait, a Vainbne. reiceann cu so bruilim chuadosac. Caitrio mé aine a tabaint oo niam Dainníotan í rin, tá'r Cinn Oin. ASAC, ASUR CAITREAN AINE MAIT A tabaine vi." Di Onitivin as oul i n-aoir anoir (cheidim so haid ri cuis bliadna caitte no d'féidin cuis bliadna so leit), asur di ri as éinse ar cuid de na nóraid a cleactuisead ri i dtúr a hóise. Ní "Drísidin" a tusad ri uinti réin anoir, man dí a fior aici an drís atá leir an drocailín "mé," asur leir an eandaillín rin "-im" nuain a cuintean i ndiaid "tá" asur "nít" é. Dí a fior aici rheirin sun món an mear asur an onóin atá as dul do dainníosain tan man atá as dul do chéatúinín deas doct man Daindhe.

Ir baostac tiom nan tuis Daindne an reat ro con an dit. Ni naid innti act baboisin maide, asur, an nodis, bad deacain da teiterd choide caitin a tuispint. Da tein di so naid ri caitte do teat-taoid. 'Si Niam Cinn Oin a codtuisead i brocain Dristoin anoir; 'ri Niam Cinn Oin a fuidead te n-a hair am beite; 'ri Niam Cinn Oin a sabad amac an an school te n-a coir, a tuisead teiti i mears na paithise, ir a teidead teiti as baitiusad noinini ir meinini. 'Si Niam Cinn Oin a teannad ri te n-a

nuct. 'Si niam cinn Oin a posat pi. Ouine eile a beit pan âic ba snătac teac-pa a beit, ouine eile a beit as piubat te coip an té an snătac teac-pa piubat te n-a coip, ouine eile beit as posat an beit ba duat ouitpe a posat,—pin i an pian ip mo oa brutainsceap ap an paosat po; asur pin i an pian a bi i tâp Oaipbpe anoip, 'Să céapat o maioin so hoice ip 'Să cpât o oice so maioin.

ir voit to noearran tiom nanb' téroir na rmaointe reo na rmaointe an bit eile a beit i schoide Vaindne, man nac naib innti act bhéasán maide Ban motušao, Ban meadain, Ban Cuismint, san ti eoin. M'fneasna an éinne Labrocar man ro liom: Cá brios OUMM? Cabrior out-re no oom-1 a nac bruit a możużat ir a meabain rein, a ocuistinc it a ocheoir tein, as bábózaibiraz bpéazánaib maide, az an Bepann if as an senoe, as an abainn ir as an ear, as mion-rsotaid na páince ir as mion-clocaib na chása? -'read agur ag na céadtaib nudaí eile feicimio 'n-an ocimceall? Ní abraim 50 bruit; act bab vana an maire vom-ra no v'einne eite a pav nac bruit. Ir voit teir na pairtib 50 bruit; asur're mo baramait sun tuisreanaite na pairti i neitib ve'n tront ro 'ná tura ir mire.

Lá amáin vá paib Daipope i n-a puive so huaisneac téiti péin i n-a páptúp, ví Opísivoin asup Miam Cinn Oip i péip compáiv coip na teineav; nó b'feapptiom a páv so paib Opísivoin i péip compáiv téiti péin, asup Miam as éipteact téiti; map níop cuata éinne pocat ap béat na Daippiosna piam act amáin "Mam-a." Ví mátaip Opísivoin taob amuis ve'n vopap as niseacán. Ví an t-ataip as cup fataí pan nsappva. Níop fan pa teac act Opísivoin asup an vá bábóis.

Ir voit so haib an cailin beas cuinreac, man cait ri an maivin as niseacan (niseav ri bhaitlin asur pluiv na Dainniosna sac reactmain). Da seann so veainis covlav uinti. Da seann i n-a viaiv rin sun teis ri a ceann an a bhollac ir so haib ri i n-a

comeim ruain. Ni tuisim i sceand céano d'éinit can 'éire pin, act de nein coramitacta bi Unitroin cuicim le ránaio, no sun rinead an teic an ceattait i i broigreact ontait oo'n ceinio. Mion duint ri. man bi ri 1 n-a chap coolata. Ir cormail 50 paid Miam Cinn Oin i n-a coolad rneirin, act cia an bit cia rzéal é nion connuit ri. Ni naib einne ra cead leir an bpairce beat snaoman a coraine an an moor a bi as emall uinti. Niont' eot v'einne i beit i Sconneabaine ace amáin do dia asur vo-Bainbne.

Di an matain as oidniusad teiti caod amuis asur san aon cuimneam aici so naid an dar com san rin do teand a choide. Di ri as carad puint di réin, asur 'sa chocad so dheas, nuain a cuata ri an cuaint—cuaint man dead nud éisin as cuicim an an untan.

"Céapo é rin anoir?" an rire téiti réin. "Ruo éigin a tuit de'n batta, tá reanr. Ní réidin gunab í Onigidín a bain teir?" 1rceac teiti 50 veirneac. 1r an eisin nan tuit an t-anam airti te neant uatbair. Asur ciant' ionsnav e? Vi a teant muinneac rinte an an teattac asur a coitin beas an veanstarav ra teinio!

phead an matain cuici thearna na cirteanaise, tos i n-a baclainn i, ir bain oi an cota. Ili paib ann act sun tapptuis ri i. Oa branfad ri teat-noimeioin eile, bi ri nomatt.

Di Opitioin i n-a ouireact anoir agur a da laim ra muineal a matar. Di ri an chaitead le teann raitcir agur, an nooit, as sol, cé nac so nomait a tuis ri an rséal ror. Di a matain "'sa mucad le posaid ir 'sa batad le degnaid."

"Céapo d'éipis dom, a Mama? Di mé as opionstoids. Mocuis mé ceap asur ceap mé so paid mé as out ruar, ruar ran rpéip, asur so paid an spian 'sam' dosad. Céapo d'éipis dom?"

"'Sé coit 'Oé é nan toirsead mo reoinin,—ni teir an nsnéin, act teir

an teinio. O, a Opigioin, a peata bis oo matan, céano a déanrainn da mandoctaide opm tú? Céano a déanrain tiom a teact irteac an an nóiméad rin!—

Ni' me céanóc topann a cuala me? Muna mbead rin ni tiocrainn irteac con an bit."

Opeathuis ritainrei. Di sac nuo i n-a die rein an an mbopo, asur an na ballaib, asur an an opiriún,—ace ran! or comain an opiriún tus ri ra deana an nuo an an unlán. Céano a bi ann? Colann beas san ceann—colann bábóise.

"Daipone a tuit de'n dpipuúp apir," app' an mátaip. "Mo coinpiap, 'ri pábáil t'anam duit, a Britioin."

"Ni tuitim a pinne ri 'con an bit!"

app' an cailin beas, "act ir amlaid

connaic ri so naid me i sconntabaint

asur cait ri leim o bann an opininin

te me fabail. A Dainbne boct, tus

tu t'anam an mo fon!"

Cuard pi an a stuint, tos conpan beas na bábóse, asur pos so ceannna ceanamait é, "A Mama," an rife so bhonac, "o táinis Miam Cinn Oin, tá raiteor onm so noeanna mé deanmad an Daindne doct, asur sun mó an rpéir a cuin mé i Miam Cinn Oin 'ná inntire; asur réac sunad í da dítre dom i n-a diaid rin! Asur tá rí mand andir onm, asur ní déid mé i n-ann tadaint téiti anir so bhátac, ná a nád téiti sun reann tiom míte uain—'read, céad míte uain—i 'ná Miam."

"Thi maps at a ri 'con an bit," avein an matain, "at sontuitte. Cuippid t'atain an ceann uinti apir nuain a tiocrar re irceat."

"Od ocurerini-re de bann an onificial, a Mama, if so scailleinn mo ceann, and'féidin é cun onmanír?"

"Niond' féroir. Ace ni hionann eura ir Daindne."

"1r ionann. Tá rí mand. Mac breiceann tú nac bruit rí as connuise ná as tabaint?"

D'éigin vo'n mátain an méiv reo avmáit.

Mi cuippead aon nid i n-a tuize ap Unizioin nac naid Daindne baruizte

Agur nac le îre făbăil a tug ri a hanam. Ni abrocainn rein 50 naib an ceart aici, act ni abrocainn nac naib. Nil le nao agam act an meio aoubrar ceana: Că brior oom-ra e? Că brior ouit-re e?

Cuipeat Daiphpe an tháthóna rin an taoib an chuic ran áit an tait rire agur Dhightin na Laeteannta rata ramhait út i mears na haithise ir na mblát. Tá méininí as rár as ceann na huaise, agur tá nóininí ir bainne bó blioctáin so raiprins i n-a timéeall.

Roim out a cooled to Opigioin an ordee rin, glacit ri anall an a matain.

"Mear cú, a Mama," an rire, "an breicrio mé Dainbhe an neam?"

"D'reivin te Rit na Stoine so breicrea," avein an matain.

"Mear tú an breicread, a Dealde?" an rire le n-a hatain.

"Tá a thop agam go binn go breicrip," adein an c-atain.

Supad é pin Cacepa agur Ordead Daipone so nuise pin.

(A chioc rin).



<u> Cożainín</u>

rin an bann an onipiùn. Mion cuatar sun ainis Opisioin ná a matain ná a hatain aon caoineacán o'n scipteanais i tán na hoioce, asur teir an fininne a náo ní mearaim sun fit Daindhe deon. Act ir cinnte so naid rí bhónac so teon, i n-a tuise i n-áinde annrúd téiti réin, san tám a capad 'sá téitead, san dear cotna a capad 'sá téitead, san duine ná deonaide i n-a haice, san ruaim an dit a cloirteáit, act amáin na ruamanna ranna ríon-uaisneaca a díor te cloirteáit i dteac i n-am mandta na hoide.

III.

If 1 n-a purde no 1 n-a turge an baph an opipiùn a cait Daindne bundice na paite oan scionn. D'annam a Labhurgead Opigroin Leiti; asur nuain a Labhurgead, ni deinead ri act, "Di 1 do cailin mait, a Daindne. Feiceann tu so bruilim chuadosac. Caitrid mé aine a tabaint do Miam Cinn Oin. Dainpiogan i rin, ta'r asat, asur caitrean aine mait a tabaint di." Di Opigroin as out i

Cozamín na néan.

I.

Compad a tapla idin Cotainin na néan agur a matain thathona eannait noim dul raoi do'n thein. An céinreac agur an gealban buide a cuala é agur (de néin man mearaim) a d'innir dom' cáindib, na ráinleoga, é. Na ráinleoga a d'innir an rgéal domra.

"Teapa uait ipteat, a peata. Tá pé as éinte ruap."

"Mi řéavam coppuiže 50 roill beas, a máitpín. Cá mé as ranact leir na ráinleosaib."

"Cıa leir, a maicin?"

"Leir na ráinteogaib. Cá mé 'ceapad go mbéid riad annro anocc."

Di Eoţainin i n-aipoe ap an aill moip a bi laim le binn an tiţe, e rocpuiţte so oear ap a mullac agur cul ban a cinn le bun na ruinn-reoige a bi 'za rarşad. Di a ceann cpocta aige, agur é as breatnuţad

uaro o dear. O'feac a mátain ruar ain. D'factar oi so naid a cuio spuaise i n-a hón buide ran áic a naid an spian as rsallad an a cloiseann.

"Agur cé ar a bruit mao ag

"O'n Doman Ceap—an ait a mbionn ré 1 n-a fampato 1 Scomnaite. Ca mé as ranact leo le reactmain."

"Ace ca brior oute but anoce a ciocrar riao?"

"Til a fior agam, act me 'śa ceapao. Dad mitio doid beit annro lá an dit rearta. Ir cuimneac tiom gun cotnom an tae indiu go dineac táinis mad anunaid. Di mé as teact anior o'n todan nuain a cuala mé a sceileadan—ceileadan dinn meidneac man beidir as não: 'Cámuid cusat anir, a eosainin! Sséala cusat o'n Doman tear!'—asur annrin d'eiteall ceann aca tanm—cuimil a rsiatán dem' leiceann."

Hi cupam a pao sup cuip an cainnt reo an-ionsnao ap an mataip. Hiop Labaip Eosainin map pin leiti piam poime. D'fearac oi sup cuip re an-

truim int na héanlait agur gun 10mba uain a caicead ré inr an scoill no coir chata "as cainne leo" man aveinead ré. Act nion tuis ri cia an rát a mbead ronn com món rin ain na ráinteoga feiceát cuise anír. Vaitnit ri an a ataro, com mait le n-a tlontaid beil, to haid re at rionrmaoinead an nuo éigin a bí ag véanam imnive vo. Asur tainis noinne mi-ruaimnir an an mna01 choide i rein, nio nac ionznad. "Oan noois, ir aircead an dainne o pairce i," an rire i n-a hincinn rein. Nion Labain rí rmio or ano, amtac, act í AS ÉITTEACT LE SAC POCAL DÁ DTÁINIS amac ar a béal.

"Tả mề an-uaisneac ở v'rásuis riao mề ran brósman," avein an sarún beas anir, man duine a bead as cainnt teir rèin. "Dionn an oinead rin aca te nàd tiom. Ni hionann iao asur an céinreac nó an seatban buide a caitear bunáite a raosait coir an claide ran nsannda. Dionn rséatta ionsantaca te n-aithir aca i dtaoib na scríoc a mbionn rè i n-a famnad i

coincim ruain. Ni tuisim i sceant céano o'éinit can 'éire rin, act de nein coramilacea bi Onicioin ac cuicim le ránaio no sun rínead an Leic an ceallait i i broigreact onlait Mion duint ri, man oo'n ceinio. bi ri 1 n-a chap coolata. Ir cormail 50 naiv Miam Cinn Oin 1 n-a coolad rneimin, act cia an bit cia rzéal é nion connuit ri. Ni naib einne ra read leir an bpairte beat snaoman a coraine an an mbar a bi as emall uinti. Mont' eol v'einne i beit i Sconneabaine ace amain to dia agur vo-Vainbne.

Di an matain as oidniusad leiti caod amuis asur san aon cuimneam aici so naid an dar com san rin do leand a choide. Di ri as carad puinc di rein, asur 'sa chocad so dheas, nuain a cuala ri an cuaint—cuaint man dead nuo eisin as cuitim an an unlan.

"Céapo é rin anoir?" an rire téiti réin. "Ruo éigin a tuit ve'n batta, tá reanr. Ní réivin gunab í Dnígivín a bain teir?" Irread thich so despread. If an hisin nan tuic an c-anam airce the neart nathair. Asur clarb' lonsnad h? Di a teand multinead rinde an an teatlad asur a coltin beas an deapstarad ra teinio!

phead an matain cuici thearna na cirteanaite, tos i n-a baclainn í, ir bain oi an cota. Ilí haib ann act sun tanntuit rí i. Oa branfad rí teat-nóiméiroin eile, bí rí nómatt.

Di Opisioin i n-a ouireact anoir asur a dá táim rá muineát a mátar. Di ri ar chaitead le teann raitéir asur, ar noois, as sot, cé nac so rómait a tuis ri an rséal rór. Di a mátair "'sá mútad le pósaib ir 'sá bátad le deoraib."

"Céapo d'eipis dom, a Mama? Di mé as opionstoids. Motuis mé tear asur ceap mé so paid mé as out ruar, ruar ran rpéip, asur so paid an spian 'sam' dosad. Céapo d'eipis dom?"

"'Sé coit 'Oé é năp loirsead mo redipin,—ni leir an nspéin, ace leir an teinro. O, a Dpigroin, a peata bis to matan, céapo a déangainn da mandoctaide onm tú? Céapo a déangaint tiom a teact ipteac an an nóimead pin!—Ni' mé céapóc topann a cuala mé? Muna mbead pin ni tiocpainn ipteac con an bit."

Opeachuis ricaippei. Di sac puo i n-a die rein ap an mbopo, asur ap na ballaib, asur ap an opiriúp,—ace ran! or comain an opiriún tus ri ra deapa an puo ap an uplap. Céapo a bi ann? Colann beas san ceann—colann bábóise.

"Daindne a thit de'n dhiphun anip," app' an mataip. "Mo complap, 'ri pabail t'anam dhit, a Unitroin."

"Ni tuitim a pinne ri 'con an bit!" ant' an cailin beas, "act ir amlaio connaic ri so naib me i sconntabaint asur cait ri leim o bann an onimin le me fabail. A Dainbne boct, tus tu t'anam an mo fon!"

Cuard ri an a sturnio, tos compan beas na babose, asur pos so ceannra ceanamail é, "A Mama," an rire 30 bhonac, "o tainis niam cinn oin, ta raiteor onm 30 noeanna me oeanmao an Daindhe boct, asur sun mo an rpeir a cuin me i niam cinn oin 'na inntire; asur réac sunad i da ditre dom i nia diaid rin! Asur ta ri mand anoir onm, asur ni deid mé i niann ladaint leiti anir 30 bhatac, na a nad leiti sun reann liom mile uain—'read, céad mile uain—i 'na niam."

"The maps aca re 'con an bit," avein an matain, "act soncuiste. Cuippid c'atain an ceann uinte apir nuain a tiocpar re irceac."

"'Oá ocuicrinn-re oe bann an oniriúin, a Mama, ir 50 Scaillrinn mo ceann, and' réioin é cun onmanír?"

"Niond' feroip. Act ni monann tura ir Daindne."

"Ir ionann. Tá rí manb. Nac breiceann tú nac bruil rí as connuise ná as Labaint?"

D'éizin vo'n mátain an méiv reo avmáil.

ni cuippead aon nid i n-a tuise ap Unistoin nac naid Daindne baruiste

Agur nac le ire fábáil a tug rí a hanam. Ní abrócainn réin go naib an ceart aici, act ní abrócainn nac naib. Níl le ráb agam act an méio aoubrar ceana: Cá brior oom-ra é? Cá brior ouit-re é?

Cuipead Daiphpe an tháthóna rin an taoib an chuic ran áit an cait rire agur Dhígidín na Laeteannta rada ramhaid úd i mears na haithige ir na mblát. Tá méininí as rár as ceann na huaise, agur tá nóininí ir bainne bó blioctáin so raiprins i n-a timéeall.

Roim out a cooled to Opigioin an ordee rin, glacit ri anall an a macain.

"Mear cu, a Mama," an rire, "an breicrio mé Dainbne an neam?"

"D'féroin le Rif na Sloine so breicrea," avein an matain.

"Mear tú an breicread, a Deaide?" an rire le n-a hatain.

"Tá a thop agam go binn go breicth," adeir an t-atair.

Supab é pin Cacepa azur Ordead Daipone so nuise pin.

(& chioc rin).



Hożainín na nean.

Agur nac le ire făbăil a tug ri a hanam. Ni abrocainn rein go naib an ceapt aici, act ni abrocainn nac naib. Nil le păb agam act an meio abubrar ceana: Că brior bom-ra e? Că brior buit-re e?

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"Mear tú an breicread, a Dearde?" an rire le n-a hatain.

"The a fior agam so binn so breicrin," avein an c-atain.

Supad é pin Cacepa azur Ordead Daipone so nuise pin.

(A chíoc rin).

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I.

Compad a tapla idin Coşainin na nean azur a matain thationa eannais noim dul radi do'n spein. An ceinreac azur an sealban buide a cuala é azur (de nein man mearaim) a d'innir dom' caindoid, na rainleosa, é. Na rainleosa a d'innir an rséal domra.

"Teapa uait irteat, a peata. Tá ré as éinte ruap."

"Ni řéavam coppuiže 50 róill beas, a máitpín. Cá mé as ranacc leir na ráinleosaib."

"Cia leir, a maicín?"

"Leir na ráinteogaib. Tá mé 'ceapab go mbéib riao annro anocc."

Di Eogainin i n-aipoe ap an aitt moip a bi taim te binn an tige, é rocquisce so bear ap a multac agur cút bán a cinn te bun na ruinn-reoise a bi 'gá rargab. Di a ceann cpocta aige, agur é as breathugab

uard o dear. O'feac a mátain ruar ain. D'factar di 50 haid a cuid shuaise i n-a hón duide ran áic a haid an shian as rsallad an a cloiseann.

"Agur cé ar a bruit mat ag teact, a teinb?"

"O'n Ooman Ceap—an ait a mbionn ré 1 n-a rampard 1 scomhaire. Ca mé as ranact leo le reactmain."

"Ace ca brior duie gun anoce a ciocrar riad?"

"Til a fior agam, act me 'fa ceapao. Dat mitio voit beit annro lá an vit rearta. Ir cuimneac tiom sun cotnom an lae inviu go vineac táinis riav anunaio. Di mé as teact anior o'n toban nuain a cuala mé a sceileavan—ceileavan vinn meioneac man veivir as piáo: 'Támuro cusat anir, a eosainin! Sséala cusat o'n Voman tear!'—asur annrin v'eiteall ceann aca tanm—cuimil a rsiatán vem' leiceann."

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scommande ionnea, asur i deaoib na brainnsi briadain ran aic a mbaitean na tuinsir, asur i deaoib na scathac n-aol-seal a mbionn na niste 'n-a scommande ionnea. Ir rada rada an bealac é o'n Doman Cear so dei an tip reo: reiceann riad 'c uile pud as teace doib ir ni déanann riad deapmad ap tada. Ir rada tiom uaim iad."

"Tan irreac, a shao sil, ir reioin a coolao. Phéacran leir an bruact tú má fanain amuis i brao eile."

"Sabraio mé irread an ball beas, a máitrín. Míon mait liom iao a teadt agur san mé annro le ráilte a dun rómpa. Dead ionsnat onta."

Connaic an matain nac haib aon mait a beit leir. Cuaro ri irteac so buaroeanta. Stan ri an bono ir na cataoineaca. Mis ri na rsalai ir na miara. Rus ri an an rsuaib asur rsuab ri an t-untan. Ssot ri an tutan ir na concain. Oearuis ri an tampa asur choc an an mballa é. Cuin ri tuitlead mona an an teinid. Rinne ri céad puro eite nan tabado di

a déanam. Annrin ruid ri or comain na ceinead as rmaoinead oi réin.

Cainis piobaine na snioraise amac agur toruit an a pont choideamail. O'fan an matain coir teallait at rmaoineat. O'fan an Sarún beas an a ruideacán aenac as rainead. Cáinis na ba a baile o'n scimín. Staoid an ceanc cuici an a héiníníb. Cuaro an ton out ir an opeoitin ir mion-paoine eile na coille po cop-Lad. Coirsead an dondan na scuileos ir an meiolis na n-uan. Virlis an thian to mall to haib ri i n-aice te bun na rpéine, so naid ri so dineac an bun na rpeine, so haib ri ra bun na rpéine. Sero Sála ruan anoin. leat an pontapar an an calam. beinead tainis Cosainin irceac.

"1r baoţlac nac otiocraio riao anoct," an reirean. "D'feioin le Oia 50 otiocraioir i mbănac."

Táinis an maioin lá an n-a bánac. Dí eosainín i n-a ruide so moc asur é as rainead amac ó mullac na haille. Táinis an meadon lae. táinig an veipeav lae. táinig an oivice. Acc, mo léan! níon táinig na páinteoga.

"D'térdin 50 breicrimir cusainn i mbánac 140," anta Cosainín asur é as ceact irceac 50 bhónac an ordce pin.

Act ni facadan. Ná ni facadan cuca 140 an lá 1 n-a diaid rin ná an lá 1 n-a diaid rin ná an lá 1 n-a diaid rin anir. Agur 'rén'o deinead Cogainín gad oidde ag teadt irtead dó:

"D'reroin so mbead riad cusainn i mbanad."

II.

tainis thathona and inn i noeinead an Aidheain. Di an t-aen slan rionntuan tan eir muin dairtise. Di rolur ionsantat ran doman tian. Di reir ceoil as na heanlait ran scoill. Di duan da canad as na tonnthacaid an an thais. Act di uaisnear an choide an malhais asur é as ranact leir na ráinleosaid.

Clumeat so hobann ston nan clumeat pan air pin te ruilleat asur leit-bliatain. Ston beas bioeac.



Ston rann rion-binn. Ceiteaban mean meroneac, agur é neam-cormait te haon ceileaban eile od ocasann o tob ein. Le tuar tarnac tiomáin coinc bear out anoear. I ar eiceall so háno ran aen. Vá rsiatán teatha láidhe uinti. Déanam sabtain an a hionbatt. I as seannad na rliteat noimpi man raitio a caitribe ar bota. O'irtit ri 50 hobann, D'ionneuit ri, D'éinit anir. p'irlit ir v'ionneuit anir. Annrin ninne ri caol vineac an Cotainin, i as labaine i n-áno a soca, sun luit ir sun neaduit ri i mbnollac an taruinin can éir a caircil tada o'n Ooman Cear.

"O! mo śpło tú, mo śpło tú!" apra eośanin, 'śł tóślil i n-a tół láim ir' śł póślo ap an scloisinin oub. "'Sé to beata cusam o na cpiocaib coimisteaca! Opuil tú tuippeac tap éir t'aircip uaisnis tap taltaib asur tap raippsib? Opa, mo mile mile spło tú, a teactaipe bis áluinn o'n típ i n-a mbionn ré i n-a rampato i scomnaite!

ceand d'einit did an an mbotan no te nac ocainit pib noime reo?"

An fair it bi the as Labaire man to teir an brainteois, 'sa posar anit it anit eite asur as cuimite a laime so sparman da restatant dub-sonma, da resonar deas deans, asur da bhotlac seat clutman, teot éinin eite andear asur tuintins i n-a n-aice. D'éinis an da éan ran aen anntin, asur 're an céad áit eite an tuis riad i n-a neid dis rein a di roluiste ran eidean a di as rar so tius an datlaid an tise.

"Tá riad an rásáil ra deinead, a máithín!" anna Cosainín, asur é as nic irceac so lúcsáineac. "Tá na ráinteosa an rásáil ra deinead! Táinis péine anoco—an péine a bruil a nead or cionn m'fuinneoise-re. Déid an cuid eile cusainn i mbánac."

Chom an matain agur teann rí léiti é. Annrin cuin rí pairin cum Dé or íreal, ag sabáil buireacair leir ar uct na ráinleosa a reolar cuca. An larain a bí i rúilib an malhais, cuinrear rí aoidnear an choire mátan an bit. Da ram é cootad Cosamin an ordce rin.

Cámis na rámleosa i noiaió a ceile anoir-1 n-a sceann ir i n-a Sceann an ocur, 1 n-a bpeine ir 1 n-a bpéine annrin, agur rá deinead i n-a rsacaib beasa. Nac onta a bi an C-átap nuain a connaic piao an crean-AIT Apir! An coill bear agur an rnuitlean as sluaireact chiti: an cháit teal tainmeat; na ruinnreoga a bi i n-aice an tice; an teac rein agur na rean-neadnada 50 dinead man o'fasadan iad leit-bliadain noime Ní naid atputad an tada act amain an an mbuacaill bear. Di reirean nior ciuine agur nior mine na biod. Da minice i n-a ruide é na as nit teir rein an ruo na ngannanca man ba thátac leir noime rin. clumead as sainide na as sabail fuinn é com minic ir cluinci. Má tus na ráinteoga an méio reo rá beana, Agur ní abnocainn nán tug, ir cinnte so naiv bhón onta raoi.

Cuaro an rampao tapt. D'annam

ceapo o'eipit dib ap an modtap no te nac ocainit pio poime peo?"

An faid it di té as Labaite man to leir an brainleois, 'sa posad anit it anit eile asur as cuimile a laime so spladman da tsiacanaid dub-sonma, da tsonnac deas deans, asur da dhollac seal clucman, teol éinin eile andear asur tuiplins i n-a n-aice. D'éinis an da éan tan aen anntin, asur 'té an céad áit eile an luis tiad i n-a neid dis téin a di toluiste pan eidean a di as tar so cius an dallaid an tise.

"Tá piato an pásáit pa teineat, a máithin!" appa Cosainín, asur é as nic irceac so tútsáineac. "Tá na páinteosa an pásáit pa teineat! Táinis péine anoco—an péine a bruit a neat or cionn m'fuinneoise-re. Déitó an cuito eile cusainn i mbápac."

Chom an matain agur teann ri téiti é. Annrin cuin ri paivin cum 'Dé ór ireal, ag gabáil buiveacair leir ar uct na ráinteoga a feolad cuca. An tarain a bí i rúilib an malhait, cuintead ri aoidnear an choide mátan an bit.

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Cuaio an rampao tapt. D'annam

a connuisead eosainín amac an an crháid, act é i n-a ruide so rárta an mullac na haille as réacaint an na ráinleosaid asur as éirteact le n-a sceileadan. Caitead ré na huaineannta man ro. Da minic ann é o moc na maidne sun táinis an "tháthóna spéine duide"; asur as dul irteac do sac dide díod an-cuimre rséalta—rséalta áilne ionsantaca—aise le n-innreact dá mátain. Nuain a ceirtnisead rire é rá na rséaltaid reo, deinead ré i scomnaide léiti sunad ó na ráinleosaid d'fásad ré iao.

III.

Deannuit an razant irteat thatnona.

"Cia caoi bruit Coţainin na nCan an aimpin peo, a Cibtin?" an peipean. ("Coţainin na nCan" a bi man ainm at na mathacaib eite ain i nţeatt an an ţcion a bi aiţe vo na heanlait).

"Muire, a Atain, ní paib ré com mait le para an lá ir atá ré o táinis an rampar. Tá luirne i n-a

teiceann nac braca mé ann piam noime."

Opeachuis an pasant so sean uinci. Cus peirean an luipne pin pă deapa le camall, act mà tus, nion meall pi é. Cus daoine eile pă deapa preipin i asur, mă tus, nion meall pi iad. Act da lein sun meall pi an mătain. Di deopa i puilid an trasaint, act di Cidlin as padusad na teinead ip ni paca pi iad. Di toct i n-a ston nuain a ladain pe apir, act nion tus an mătain pă deapa é.

"Cá pruit eogainín anoir, a eibtín?"

"Tá ré i n-a ruide an an aitt amuig
'ag cainne teir na ráinteogaid,' man
deineann ré héin. Ir ionganeac an
cion acá aige do na héiníníd rin.
Öruit a rior agae, a Acain, céand
dubaine ré tiom an tá céana?"

" nil a fior, a Ciblin."

"Di re' tà nao sun seann anoir so mbéid na ráinteosa as imteact uainn anir, asur an reirean tiom so toibeann, 'Céand a déanrá, a máithín,' an reirean, 'Oá n-éatócainn-re uait teir na ráinteosaid?'"

"Azur ceapo oubaine eura, a Ciblin?"

"Outsing the Leip privation terp amaging for a veit fam' bodiusad. Act caim as cuimniusad piam o foin an an nuo adubaing pe asur ca pe as deanam buaideanta dom. Nand' airceac an privatinead do é, a Atain,— é imteaco leir na painteosaid?"

"IT 10mba praoinead aircead tagar ircead i Schoide páirce," ahr' an rasarc. Asur tus ré an donar amad air réin san rocal eile a rád.

"As brionstoiois man ir snátač teat, a Cosainín?"

"Ni head, a Atain. Tá mé ag cainnt teir na ráinteogaib."

"As cainne teo?"

"'Seat, a Atain. Dimit as cainnt le ceile i scomnaite."

"Azur cozan. Céano a bior rib a não le céile?"

"Dimio as cainne an na chiocaid i brad uainn a mbionn ré i n-a ramhad i scomnaide ionnea, asur an na rainnsid riadáine ran áie a mbáitean na tuingir, agur an na cathacaib aolteala a gcomnuiteann na nitte ionnta."

táinis ionsnat a choite an an rasant man táinis an an mátain noithe rin.

"Tura a bior as cup rior ap na neitib reo asur lab-ran as élecace teat, ir cormait?"

"Ni mé, a Ataip. lav-pan ip mó a bior as cainne asup mire as éirteact teo."

"Azur an ocuizeann cú a zcuio cainnce, a Cozainín?"

"Tuişim, a Ataip. Nac ocuişeann cupa 1?"

"Hi so no-mait a tuisim i. 'Déan âic dom an an aill annrin asur ruidrid mé camall so minisid cu dom céand bior riad a nád."

Suar teir an rasant an an aitt asur ruir te hair an sarúinín. Cuin ré a tám rá n-a muineát ir toruis as baint cainnte ar.

"Minis dom céano a dior na ráinleosa a não leat, a Eosainin."

"Ir 10mda pud a bior piad a pád

tiom. It iomba theat opeat inntheat that oom. An opaca than an tenin tin a chaid tapt anoit dipeat, a Atain?"

"Connaicear."

"Sin i an pséalaide in clipte opta an rad. Tá a nead rin rá'n eidean atá as rár or cionn ruinneoise mo reompa-ra. Asur tá nead eile aici ran Doman Cear—aici réin in as a céile."

"A' bruit, a Cosainin?"

"Tá—nead beag áluinn eile na mílte ir na mílte míle ar ro. Mac airteac an rgéal é, a Atain?—a nád go bruil dá teac ag an bráinleoigín agur gan againne act aon teac amáin?"

"Ir aircead so beimin. Asur cia an rope tip i n-a bruit an tead eite reo aici?"

"Nuain a dúnaim mo púile peicim cin uaisneac áidbéil. Feicim anoir í, a Atain! Cin ionsantac uatman. Nít pliab ná cnoc ná sleann innti, act í i n-a macaine món néid tainmeac. Nít coitt ná péan ná pár innti,

act an talam com lom le choide do boire. Saineam an rad. Saineam rá do coraib. Saineam an rad taoib díot. An shian as rpalpad or do cionn. San néall an bit le reiceál ran rpéin. É so han-te. Annro ir annrúd tá ball beas réapad man a bead oileáinín i lán rainnse. Cúpla chann ánd as rár an sad ball aca. Farsad ó saoit asur ó shéin aca. Feicim an oileán de na hoileánaib reo aill ánd. Aill món miltead. Tá rsoiltead inr an aill, asur inr an rsoiltead tá nead ráinleoisín. Sin i nead m'fáinleoisín-re."

"Cia v'innir an meio reo vuit, a eosainin?"

"An fáinteos. Caiteann rí teat a raofail inr an tín rin, í héin ir a céile. Nac aoitinn an raofal atá aca an an oileáinín uaisneac útan i lán na títheibe! Ní bíonn ruact ná rlice ann, rioc ná rneacta, act é i n-a famhatí i scomhaite. . . . Asur i n-a tiait rin, a átain, ní téanann riat teanmat an a neit bis eile annro i néininn, ná an an scoill, ná an an

rrután, ná an na ruinnreosaib, ná onmra, ná an mo mátain. Sac bliadain ran eannac cloireann riad man a bead cosannaistí i n-a scluair 'sá nád leo so bruit na coiltre rá duitleadan i néininn, ir so bruit an spian as deathrusad an na dáncaib, ir so bruit na huain as méidlis, ir so bruit na huain as méidlis, ir so bruitmre as ranact leo-ran. Asur rásann mad rtán as a n-ánur ran tín coimistis ir imtiseann riad nómpa ir ní déanann riad rtad ná comnaide so breiceann riad bann na bruinnreos uata asur so scluineann riad stón na habann ir méidleac na n-uan."

Di an rasant as eirteact so haineac.

"O!—Asur nac ionsantae an t-airtean aca é o'n Doman Cear! Fásann piao an macaine món sainme i n-a noiaio asur na rléibte ánda maola acá an a imeall asur imtiseann riao nómpa so ocasann riao so ocí an muin món. Amae leo tan an muin as eiteall i scomnaide 'scomnaide san tuinre san thaocad. Feiceann riao ríor uata na tonnthaca theatan-

mona, agur na tuingir ag cheabad na Dileann, agur na reolta bána, agur raoileáin agur cailleaca ouba na rainize, agur iongancair eile nac bréadrainn cuimniugad onta. rsaitte einteann saot asur sala ir reiceann riao na longa dá mbátad ir na connepada as einse i mullad a ceile; agur bionn riao rein, na chéacuin, od ocuanzain leir an nzaoit azur od noallad leip an mbdipcit agur leip an raile no so mbaineann mao amac an cip ra despead. Camall voit annyin as imteact nompa asur iao as réacaint an painceannaid réanmana ir an coilleib bann-slara ir an chuacaib ceann-ánoa ir an tocaib teatna ir an αιδησαζαιδ διίποι ταρ ζατραζαιδ δροαξta man bead i bpictivinib ionsanταία αξυρ 1αυ ας δηθαίπυζα οπία rior uata. Feiceann riao baoine as obain. Cluineann man beitinit as Séimnis, asur páircí as sáinide, agur closa vá mbualav. ACC ní readann riad ace as rion-inteace no so ocasann mad so bruae na mara apir, agur ni ror ooib annrin so mbuaileann riao cin na hÉineann."

Lean Cotainin ain at Labaint man reo an read i brad, an rasant at eighteact le sac rocal dá noubaint ré. Diodan at reancur no sun tuit an doncadar atur sun tlaoid an mátain irteac an Cotainin. Cuaid an rasant a baile at mactham dó réin.

IV.

O'imtit an luthara atur an Meadon fotmain. Di an Deinead fotmain leat-caitte. De néin man di na laeteannta at oul i ntioppact di Cotainin at éinte ni da dhonaite. D'annam a ladhuitead ré le n-a matain anoir, act tac oidce noim dul a coulad do potad ré to oil atur to diochac i atur deinead ré—

"Staoid opm so mod an maidin, a maidin. It beas an that aca asam anoir. Déid plad as iméeace san monan moite."

Sealuis lá áluinn i lán na míora. So tuat an maioin tus Cosainín rá ocana so naib na ráinteosa as chuinniusao le céile an bann an tise. Níon connuis ré ó n-a ruio-

eacan an read an lae rin. As teact irteac do thathona, an reirean le n-a matain—

- "Déiro piao as iméeace i mbahac."
- "Cá brior ouic, a spád sit?"
- "Outsing plat thom into e. A maichin," an reirean anir, can eir reataim to i n-a torc.
 - "Céapo é héin, a teanbin?"
- "Ni féadraid mé ranact annro nuair a béar riad imtiste. Caitrid mé imteact i n-éindis leo 50 dtí an tír i n-a mbionn ré i n-a rampad i scomnaide. Ni beiteá uaisneac dá n-imteocainn?"
- "O! a room, a mile room tu, na tabam man rin tiom!" app' an matam as bheic am asur 'sa tarsav te n-a choive. "Nit tu te éalor uaim! An noois, ni taspa do maithin asur imteact i noiair na brainteos?"

ni oubaint Cosainin rocal act i posat anir ir anir.

Seaturs tá eite. Dí an buacaittín beas i n-a fuibe so moc. O túp tae bí na céadta páinteos baitiste te ceite an multac an tize. O am so ham vimitizead ceann no peine aca asur vitilead anir, man beidir as breathusad an an aimrin. Tá deinead vimitis peine ir níon till piao. Vimitis peine eile. Vimitis an thiomad peine. Dí riad as imteact i noiaid a ceite annrin so dei nán tan act aon rsaca beas amáin an rtuaic an tize. Dí an peine a táinis an deur an thathóna eannais úd ré mí noime rin an an rsaca beas ro. Ir cormail so paid leirse onta an áit tásáil.

Di eosainin 'sa brainead d'n aill. Di a matain i n-a rearam len' air.

O'einis an reaca beas einin ran aen asur tusadan asard an an Ooman Cear. As imteact doid tan bann na coille d'fill péine an air,—an péine a naid a nead or cionn na ruinneoise. Anuar leo d'n rpéin as déanam an Cosainín. Cant leo annrin, iad as eiteall i n-aice leir an talam. Cuimil a resatain de shuaid an sarúinín asur iad as reuadad leo tainir. Suar leo ran aen anir, iad

as Labaine so thonae, asur ar so brat leo 1 notato na coda eile.

"A mátain," apra Cosainín, "tá ' Ceana mad as staodac onm. uait so oti an tip a mbionn an spian as roillyiusad i scommaide ann,ceana uait, a Cotainin, tan na rainnsid rnaocda so oci cin an crotuir,—ceana uaic, a Cosainín na néan!' ni téadaim 140 a eiceac. Deannact agat, a maithin,—mo mile mile beannact agat, a maithin mo Caim as imteacc choroe. ...tan na rainnsib rnaocoa 50 oci an cin i n-a mbionn re 1 n-a ramnao 1 5comnaide."

Leis ré a ceann rian an sualainn a mátan asur cuin ré ornao ar. Cluineao sol mná inr an áic uaisnis úo—sol mátan as caoineao a páirce. Dí Cosainín imtiste i brocain na bráinleos.

Cuard an rotman ir an seimnead tant asur di an t-eannac an ratal anir. Di na coille ra duilleadan, ir na huain as mérolis, ir an spian as

veallpusav an na báncair. Cháthóna slónman ran Aidheán táinis na ráinteosa. Ví rolur ionsantac as bun na rpéine ran iantan man bí bliavain an taca rin. Ví réir ceoil as na héantait ran scoill. Ví vuan vá canav as na tonnthacair an an tháis. Act ní nair aon sarúinín rionn-bán i n-a ruive an mullac na haille rá rsát na bruinnreos. Irtis inr an teac bí bean aonnaic as caoi coir teinear.

"....'S a maicin muinnis," an pire, "reicim na ráinteosa cusam anir, act ní reicrió mé tura cusam so deo."

Cuala na páinteoga i agur 140 ag out tan an oonar. Mít a fior agam an scuala Cosainín i, man bí ré na mítte míte 1 scéin Inr an tín 1 n-a mbíonn ré 1 n-a famhað 1 scomnaiðe.

(Δ ἀμίοὰ τιπ.)

Foctoin.

Only the more difficult words, or words which illustrate some peculiarity of local usage in pronunciation, vocabulary, or idiom, are included in this poctom. As a rule only the meanings occurring in the text are noted.

A, poss. adj., his, her, their: note the usage in such locutions as Δ ὁά τρίιλ, his two eyes; A ὁά τρίιλ, her two eyes; A leat-τρίιλ, his eye: A leat-τρίιλ, her eye

eye; a leat-ruil, her eye.

Abrolóio, -e, f., absolution (commonly pron. earblóio; maiteamnar, pron. maiteamnar is, however, the popular word). Actaive, a., free in motion, nimble, active.

Δζυιγίη, gs. id., -i, m., an addendum. Διδησάς, -ηιζε, a., abounding in rivers. Διόδει, -e, npl. id., f., exaggeration.

Διόδέι**ι, -e, a., awful.**

Aill (pron. aill in lar-Chonnachta), -e, -lτρεάζα, f., cliff, boulder, rock; in the Ros Muc district aill is applied to any large rock or boulder, even though it be far from reaching the dignity of a "cliff"; cappais is restricted to a rock standing in water.

áilleán, -áin, npl. id., m., a beautiful object; ba σear an τ-áilleán é, he was a charming

sight, he made a pretty picture. Annivoe, gs. id, npl. -oce (also Anninte), m.,

an animal, a brute.

Δίητο, -e, f., attention, heed; ιτ ιοπόα τυαιπ ceolman a bi Le clorrceáil, an τέ a mbea o άιητο αίξε ορτά, many were the musical sounds which might have been heard, if one had ears to hear them.

Διμπιζιπ, -μεαπ, m., I count, reckon; ní Διμmiζιπ bábóιχίη, not to say a doll, much

less a doll.

Διρ, -e, f., side, back, etc.; ταρ αιρ, αρ αιρ, back, backwards; ράζαιπ lem' αιρ, I assert, I solemnly declare.

- Airceac, -τige, a., curious, odd; κας clear a b'aircige 'nά a céile, the oddest imaginable tricks (lit. every trick odder than the one before).
- Air, -e, npl. -eaca and -eanna, f., place; ran Air (followed by loc. rel.), in the place where; often almost = whereas, inasmuch as.
- Aitne, gs. id., f., acquaintance; nac zcuintioe b. i n-aitne vi, to whom B. would not be introduced.
- Am, gs. -a, npl. -anna, -annta, time; amannta, at times, sometimes; am oinnéin, at dinnertime; tá ré i n-am coolata, it is bedtime; bí ré i n-am aici, it was time for her.
- Amac, adv., out; in phr. amac annyo, "out here," bye-and-bye.
- Amtac, conj., however (a living word in Iar-Chonnachta amongst good speakers).
- Anacam, -e and -cna, f., hurt, harm, damage.
 Ann, in phr. rean ann réin, a man apart, a man
 sui generis.
- Aoibnear, -a and -nir, m., delight; aoibnear ouine a toil, a person's will is his delight ("everyone to his fancy").
- Aol-geal, -jile, a., lime-bright, as white as
- Aonηιας, -e, a., lone, solitary (this, not Aonηιας, is the adj. in use).
- άητο, in phr. 1 n-άητο α 50ta, at the top of her voice.
- Δηηλίης, -e, npl. -eaca and -ce, f., a "stitch" in the side, a dart of pain.
- ánur, -uir, npl. id., m., abode.
- ὑάρός, -όιζε, -όζα, f., a doll; dim. ὑάρόιζίη, gs. id., npl. -ί, also f. (not m).
- bacta, -nn (and baicte), npl. -ai, f., the arms, an armful; 1 n-a bactainn, in her arms, on her arm.
- Daξαιητ, -ητα, m., act of threatening, nodding; aξ baξαιητ a mullac, rearing their frowning crests.

Dainim, -nt, v. tr. and intr., I cut, take, etc.; a bain leip, that meddled with it; bain an laipte ve'n vopap, unlatched the door; nion bain γί méan νά pηύιπ, a somewhat slang expression="she did not cry halt;" nionb' γανα α bain γέ αγ, he did not take long (to complete a journey); 50 mbaineann γιαν απαζ απ τίη, till they reach land.

Danne bó blioctáin, m., buttercup (ranunculus auricomus).

לאוחד, -e, f., act of cutting, taking, etc.; אק שמוחדם לאוחדם אך, getting talk out of him, making him talk; אק שאוחד קקפאלדם ארדה, making them tell stories.

bamphe, gs. id., f., Barbara (almost the commonest female name in the district).

Daiptim, -teato, v. tr., I baptise, christen.

ປ້າເຂົ້າກາ, - ລໍເລ່າວ່າ, v. tr. and intr., I drown, founder (of a vessel).

Dalbán, -áin, npl. id., m., a stammerer, a dummy.

ball, -aill, npl. id., m., limb, spot; an ball beag, just now.

bán, -áne, a., white, fair-haired; (of a road, etc.), bare.

bán, -áin, and -ca, m., lea-land, pasture-land.

Dápost, -sit, npl. id., m., a drake.

Đaṇn, -ainn, npl. -a and -anna, m., top, etc.; man bann an, in addition to, "on the top of"; Le bann niméro, with excess of joy, in pure delight.

Dann-tlar, -aire, a., green-topped (of woods).

Dáruite, gsf., id., killed, dead.

beatac, -ait, npl. id. and -aite, m., way, etc.; in phr. ar an mbeatac, "out of the way," beyond bounds, wrong

beyond bounds, wrong.

Deaptli, gsf. id., "Bartly," one of the commonest names in South Connacht

béic, -e, npl. -í and -eaca, f., cry, roar.

Déile, gs. id., npl. -lí, m., a meal.

Destroeac, -ois, npl. id., m., a beast, especially a beast of the ox tribe.

beo, gs. id. and bi, npl. beoos, m., life; in phr. te mo beo, as long as I live.

Díoeac, -oige, a., tiny.

Dinn, -e, npl. beanna, f., gable.

Dobta, gsf., id., npl. -i, m., an occasion; bobta

Amain, once.

Doża, gs. id., npl. id. and -i, bow. borός, -όιςe, -a, f., slap, smack.

Oρός, -015e, -a, r., siap, smack. Opáitlín, gs. id., npl. -i, m., sheet.

Onéagán, -áin, npl. id., m., toy.
Onicparca, gs. id., npl. -í, m., "breakfast."
Onionglóideac, -dige, f., act of dreaming.

buatte, gs. id., npl. -tre and -treaca, f, a field where cattle are kept, a paddock.

Duailim, -alaö, v. tr., İ strike; buailim poin, I "strike" (go) west; buailim ipteac, I enter (a house, etc.); buailim an bötan, I "strike" the road, I start (on a journey, etc.).

Dúcla, gsf. id., npl. -i, m., tress, curl (of hair). Durbeac, -bize, a., thankful; 30 burbeac beannactac, thankfully and gratefully.

Durbean, -ne, -eanza, f., band, company; an Durbean Dalb, "the Dumb Band," a well-known game amongst children and at fire-side mampai.

bun, -uin, -una, npl. id., base, foundation; bun na rpéine, the horizon.

bunáite, the greater part; bunáite an céan rséil, the greater part of the first story.

Cabain, -bna, -bapta, -bnac, f., help; táinis

Carlleac (-lize, -eaca) out, f., "black hag," applied both to the cormorant (phalacrocorax carbo) and to the shag (phalacrocorax graculus), our two commonest pelecanidae.

Caillim, -lead and -leamaint, v. tr., I lose;

Caiteam, -tre and caitme, m., act of throwing, spending, using up; as caiteam aimpine void rein, amusing themselves; as caiteam Leim, jumping.

Canao, -nca, m., act of singing; bi vuan vá canao as na connenación an an enais, the waves were intoning an anthem on the beach.

Caon, gs. id., f., act of weeping. Caoneacan, -an, in., act of crying Caointeac, -tite, a., crying, wailing, moaning (of the sea).

Caol, -aoile, a., slender; in phr. caol vineac, quite straight; ninne ri caol vineac an e., made straight for E.

Caom-ceann, gs. -cinn, npl. id., m., comely head. Caontann, -ainn, npl. id., m., quicken tree, mountain-ash (sorbus aucuparia).

Cáp, -áip, npl. id., m., case; an céao cáp oe, in the first place.

Capao, -rca, m., act of twisting, turning; aς capao punpe, "turning a tune," singing or lilting.

Cánoáit, -áta, f., act of teasing wool, etc., act of scrubbing very hard.

Captannac, -aite, a., kind-hearted.

Caróizín, gs. id., npl. -í, m., a little cassock.

Catac, -aize, a., curly-haired.

Cé, interrog. partic., where? (Fairly general in Connacht for cá?)

Ceatran, distrib. pr., either; with neg., neither. Ceatlran, -am, npl. id., m., face, visage.

Ceann, gs. cinn, ds. cionn, npl. cinn and ceanna, m., head; one, an individual; i n-a sceann ip i n-a sceann, one by one; oan scionn, towards us.

Ceann-áro, -árroe, high - headed, lofty (of mountains).

Ceann-catac, -aite, a., curly-headed.

Ceáno, -a, -anna, m., quarter, point of the compass.

Céanóc, interrog. pr., what sort? followed, like cia an pôpt in Con. vernac., by nom. not gen.; the etymology is not obvious).

Céarao, -rea, m., act of torturing.

Ceileaban, -ain, m., twittering, chirping.

Ceitt, -e, f., act of concealing, denying. Céinreac, -rite, -reaca, f., song-thrush (

Cénpeac, -pige, -peaca, f., song-thrush (turdus musicus).

Ceircnizim, -niużao, v. tr., I question.

Cia oán oíoo í, to whom does she belong (by family)? i.e. what is her surname?

Ciall, céille, f., sense, meaning; cup 1 5céill, act of signifying, pretending.

Cimin, gs. id., m., pasturage.

Cinno, -e. f., act of failing, surpassing; tá ré AS cinne onm, I cannot succeed, "it beats me."

Cion, ceana, m., affection, regard.

Cioróz, -óize, -a, f., left hand; an caoid na ciocóige, on the left.

Ciúineavar, -air, m, calm, quietness; 1 5ciúineavar na marone, in the morning quiet.

Ciumair, -e, npl. -mra and -eaca, f., edge, border.

Clavac, -ait, npl. id., m., beach.

Claroe, gs. id., npl. -aca, m, a fence, esp. a stone fence.

Cleactao, -tta, m., act of practising, frequent-

Clipeao, -ree, m., act of failing; nuo a bi as cliread unti, a matter in which she was not succeeding.

Clipim, -read, v. tr., I fail (with an).

Clocan, -ain, npl. id., m., a group of boulders on a hillside or elsewhere.

Cloizeann, -zinn, npl. id., m., also gs. -zne, npl. id., f., skull, head.

Clorginin, gs. id., npl. -i, m., little head.

Clor, act of hearing; ir clor com, I hear. Cluap, -aire, -a, f., ear; tá cluar ain, he is lis-

tening attentively.

Clucman, -aine, a., warm, comfortable.

Cnapac, -aiże, a., knotty.

Cozannaizil, -e, f., a whispering, the act of whispering.

Cóilín, gs. id., m., "little Colm," the commonest diminutive of the name in Iar-Chonnachta, coming through the English form "Colman"

Coirseao, -sce, m., act of restraining, stopping. Coirsim, -zeao (also cors), v. tr., I prevent, stop, restrain; corpsead de dondon na

ΣcuileoΣ, the buzzing of the flies stopped. Comtuadan, -ain, npl. id., m., company, family, household; comtua oan ream, the company of men; rin a naib oe comluadan ann, that was the entire household.

Copp, a., occasional, odd; frequent as prefix, as in conn-rean-oume, a few old people.

Copp (gs. cuippe, npl. coppa) éirs, f., the common heron (ardea cinerea).

Connuitim, -te, v. tr. and intr., I move; connuit teat, hurry on, "stir yourself."

Cóimmear, -a, and -ta, a., comparison, act of comparing; 1 Scóimmear Le, compared with.

Comitizeac, -515e, a., foreign, strange.

Composition, composait, v. tr. and intr., I keep, preserve.

Cóiniste, gsf. id., a., arranged, disposed.

Corprigim (also corpreacaim, corprigim), corpreacan, v. tr., I bless, make the sign of the cross on; corprig (pron. nearly carprig) ré é réin, he blessed himself.

Comaineam, -nim, m., act of counting. Com-oéanca, gsf. id., a., well-formed.

Comnarde, -όče, f., act of staying, dwelling; 1 n-a θρυιί α ξοσώπαισε, where they live; ατά comnarde αμ mo βαξαμε, that my priest lives.

Companac, -ait, npl. id., m., companion.

Congnam, -Janta (also -aim), m., help; taining oo congnam uinti, came to her assistance.

Cor-noctuiste, gsf. id., a., barefooted.

Cóta, gs. id., npl. -aí, m., coat, coat-like garment, petticoat.

Cocnom, -uime, a, even; cocnom an tae inoiu... anuparo, this day twelvemonth (past).

Chaiteao, -te, m., act of shaking; an chaiteao trembling.

Cηέλτύη, -ύιη, npl id., creature (often used as term of pity and endearment).

Cpioc, -ice, -a, f., end, limit; territory.

Chiortac, -aig, npl. id., m., "the circling seashore."

Cριόζαιm, -αΰ, v tr., I hang, I raise; ἀριός α ceann, raised her head.

Cροċaὑ, -ċτα, m, act of lifting, raising; 'ζά ἐροċaὑ ζο ὑρεaǯ, "lifting" it finely (of a song).

Choice, gs. id., npl. -oce, m., heart; choice oo boire, the centre of your palm.

Cnotac, -ais, m., the common curlew (numenius arquata).

Cηυαό, -aice, -a, f., "croagh," "reek," mountain. Cηυαόός ac, -aice, a., hard-pressed, busy.

Cuaint, -anta, -eanna, f., visit; an cuaint, on a particular visit; an cuaint, visiting.

Cuarntéineact, -a, f., act of visiting.

Curo, in phr. vem' curo hein, of my own.

Cuileoz, -óize, -a, f., a fly.

Cumlim, -1t, v. trs. and intrs., I rub (oe, to, against).

Cuimin, gs. id., m., Cuimin (one of the characteristic personal names of the district).

Cuimne (gs. id., f.,) cinn, memory.

Cummeac, -nice, a., mindful; nán cummeac Leir, which he did not recollect.

Cuimnizim, -iużoo, v. intr., I remember; cuimniz ri uinti rein, she remembered herself, bethought herself.

Cumpe, gs. id., f., a measure, a good measure,

a large number or quantity.

Cuipim, cup, v. tr., I put, etc.; cuip opt, dress yourself; 50 scuippinn paioip le hanam a capao, that I would say a prayer for the soul of her friend; cuip paioip cum Oé, said a prayer to God.

Cúir, in phr. ní véanrad tava cúir vi act,

nothing would do her but.

Cuitín (caitín), gs. id, npl. -a, m., little cat, cat.

Cularo, gs. id. and -ao, npl -eaca and -luaca, f. and m., suit of clothes, dress; cularo an Airpinn, the Mass vestments.

Cumoac, -aiz, m., act of covering, protecting. Cum . . . τηι chite, act of turning over in the mind, debating.

Cupatcin, gs. id., npl. -i, m., a small curragh. Cúpam, -aim, m., care, concern; ni cúpam a náo, there is no need to say.

Cutac, -ait, m., madness; cutac reinge, a frenzy of anger.

Cútait, -e, a., shy.

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Cútaileact, -a, f., shyness,

Oabać, -aibće, -a, f. and m., vessel, tub. Oaonnaroe, gs. id., npl. -oce, m., human being. Oeao, -ero, npl. id., m., a tooth, a row of teeth. Deatmondeac, -Dite, a., pious.

Dealb (-eilbe, -a, f.) cloice nó manmain, a

figure of stone or marble.

Dearoe, gsf. id., m., "daddy"; commonly "oearoe" amongst children, even in the absence of an aspirating partic., but bearbe (unaspirated) after the fem. poss. adj.; frequent (as in óna, a bearbe), as a mere exclamation.

Deallnutar, -urte, m., act of shining.

Déanam, -nra, m., act of making, make, fashion; véanam Sabláin an a hionball, its tail fashioned like a fork, with forked tail.

Deapa, in phr. cuipead pá noespa oó, he was compelled; tuz ré ra beana, he noticed.

Όσαηζαό, -5ta, m., act of reddening, kindling (a fire, pipe, etc.)

Όθαηζ-laγαό, -γτα, m., act of kindling red; a azaro an oeanz-larao zo cluararo, his face flushing up to his ears.

Όeaγuiţim, -uţao, v. tr., I arrange, dress.

Deirneac, -nice, a., hasty.

'O eile, well, what else, etc., in questions and exclamations (the o is frequently slender in Iar-Chonnachta, in other districts commonly broad).

Déin, in phr. rá bein (with g.), towards, to meet; le cun rá vo véin, to send for you.

Deineso, -10, npl. id., m., end; gs. often used as a., "last"; na rocla peinio, the last words.

Deireact, -a, f., prettiness; bi . . . sn beireact an pomain aige, he had (knew) . . . in the most delightful way.

Oeoparoe, gs. id., npl. -oce, m., an exile; in phr. ouine ná ocoparoe, "man or mortal."

Deopaca, gsf., id., strange.

Oil, -e, a., dear; 50 oil agur 50 viochac, fondly and tenderly. (a literary formula preserved by good lar-Chonnacht seanchaidhthe).

Oile, -ann and -linne, f., flood, the deep.

Diocnac, -aige, a., earnest; 30 oil agur 30 viochac, fondly and tenderly.

Oiniţim, -iuţao, v. tr. and intr., I straighten, direct; οίμιξ... απιαμ γα leabaio, sat up straight in the bed.

Oitneab, -eibe, -a., f., wilderness, desert.

Oósao, -óiste, m., act of burning.

Doman tear, the Southern World or Hemis-

phere, the South.

Ooman Cian, the Western World, the West; also, the western heavens, the sky in the West. Onaoroeact, -a, f., magic.

Opeoitin, gs. id., npl. -i, m., the wren (troglo-

dytes parvulus).

Όμιτιύη, -ύιη, npl. id., m., a dresser.

Opuroim, vbl. n. id., and opuroeamaint, v. tr. and intr., I close; (with te) I draw near (te, to). Ouan, -aine, npl. -anta, f., poem, hymn, anthem.

Ouit, -e, f., desire, will; cá mo dúit i, I take delight in.

Ourne, in phr. 1 n-a nourne 'p 1 n-a nourne, in ones, one by one.

Oúiηling, -e, -te, f., a stony beach.

eacτηα, gs. id., npl. -aí, m., adventure, story (of adventure).

eavanguioe, gs. id., f., intercession.

Caluigim, -lóo, v. intr., I steal away, escape.

éantair, -e, f., birds (collectively); in s. l. takes pl. art.: na héantair, the birds.

ear, -a, npl. id., m., waterfall.

éanna (éanoa), gsf. id., m., Eanna, "Enda," a name common in the district down to the last generation.

eartán, -áin, npl. id., m., an infirm person.

erbean; gs. -in, m., ivy (the Connacht vernac. is erbean; cf. zurbe for zurbe, maz urbin for max urbin, etc.)

Éinín, gs. id., npl. -i, m., small bird; chick.

eizeac, -zis, m., act of refusing, denying.

Ciceallaim, eiceall, v. intr., I fly.

rá, prep., under; ruit rí rúiti, she sat down; rá meation lae, at or about midday.

pactar (rectius connactar), pass. (or auton.), past of cim, used in phr. pactar room, often b'factar room, it seemed to me.

raoużao, -uiżce, m., act of kindling, blowing (the fire).

τάξάιι, - ála, f., act of finding, getting; an ráξάιι, to be found, found, present.

rainicim, v. tr. and intr., I protect; I beware have a care; rainic nac bán-nua ατά γέ, "take care is it auburn-haired he is" = "stay, he may be auburn-haired after all."

ráinteos, -015e, -a, f., the swallow (hirundorustica); also áinteos, ainteos (Aran). The
popular name in the district, however, is
liabós teataiji, from a fancied resemblance to the bat.

Faine, gs. id., m., act of watching, observing (also Fainea'd).

γάιτζιπ, τάτζαό, v. tr., I press, squeeze (te, against).

ταιτός, gs. id., npl. -eaca, f., a green, a lawn. τάπαιτό, gs. id., m., slope, declivity; te τάπαιτό, downhill.

rann, -ainne, a., faint.

raoban, -ain, npl id., m., blade; bi raoban i n-a ruitib, his eyes were flashing.

raoiteán (pron. raitteán), -áin., npl. id., m., seagull (larus).

raoırtean, -ın, npl. id., m., (this is the local usage), confession.

rarzao, -rzta, m., act of sheltering.

rársav, -rsta, m., act of sqeezing, pressing.

reacaim, -40, v. tr. and intr., I bend, bow.

Γελοόζ, -όιζε, -a, f., plover, esp. the golden plover (charadrius pluvialis), perhaps the commonest of its family.

rearac, -aize, a., knowing; ir rearac τοση, also ir rearac mé, I am aware; πυσ πας rearac τουτ-re πό τοση-ra, a thing which neither you nor I know.

reileamnac, -aite, a., suitable.

Féinin, gs. id., npl. -i, m., a present, a "fairing." Feircicce, gsf. id., a., arranged, settled (in Convery common of a garment: bi a leine

reipcifce ain, his shirt was drawn on him, fastened on him).

reirciugao, -igie, m., act of arranging; act of fastening on, etc. (of a garment).

rιαοάιη, -e, a., wild.

Plaonaire, gs. id., f., presence; 1 br. (with g.), in presence of, before.

Pionn-Bán, -áine, a., fair-haired.

fronnfuan, -arne, a., cool.

rion-rilioeacc, -a, f., true poetry.

Plantear, gs. -tir, npl. id., Heaven, the heavens. rlice, gs. id., f., wetness.

roillmusao, -iste, m., act of revealing.

rote, gs. ruite, npl. id. and rotes, m., hair of the head.

rnaoc, -oic and -oit, m., heather.

Thiotail, -ala, f., act of serving, attending; rmotáil an Airminn, act of serving Mass.

rnomró rnamró, the beginning of a nonsense rhyme used in children's games.

ruamán, -áin, npl. id., m., reverberating report, booming.

Kabaim, Kabail, v. tr. and intr., I take, go; an té zabrad an bealac, the passer-by (zabrate is a new future formation which has replaced zeobao in C.)

Kadan, -ain, npl. id, m., dog (zadan has practically replaced magazin the district, and is applied to dogs of all descriptions).

Kaineam, -nme, f., sand; gs. Kainme, used as adj., sandy.

Sainmeac, -mize, a., sandy. Sainvoeacar, -air, m., act of rejoicing.

Baineata, gsf. id., laughing (of eyes).

Káine, gs. id., npl. -í, m., laughter.

ζάια, gs. id., npl. -ai, m., "gale," wind, breeze. Σαγύη, -ύιη, npl. id., m., a child, especially a

little boy; in the district zarun is applied to a young child of either sex: 5arun rin =little boy, zarun mna, little girl (zeanncaste is not very common, and zippreac is scarcely used at all, though, of course, understood).

3ατ, gs. 3αι, 3αοι, npl. 3αετε, etc., m., spear, javelin; beam (of light); zaete rotuir, rays of light.

Sealban (-ain, npl. id., m.) buroe, the yellow bunting or yellowhammer (emberiza citrinella).

Keal-zaine, gs. id., npl. -i, m., bright laughter, ringing laughter.

Seatt, gs. 5:tt, npl. id., m., pledge, etc.; in phr. geatt te, like, compared to; ba geatt te péantaid a véav, her teeth were like pearls.

Seattao, -tra, m., promise; bain seattao viom, exacted a promise from me.

Seallaim, -lao, -amaint, v. tr. and intr., I promise, vouchsafe; zeallao oom, it has been granted (vouchsafed) to me.

Sealles, gsf. id., a., promised, granted, appointed.

Sealuizim, -użaż, v. intr., I grow bright; dawn (of a day).

Seam-caoc, -oice, a., purblind. Sean, -a, -ca, m., affection.

Seanncac, -aite, a., snub-nosed.

Keannao, -nea, m., act of cutting; as seannao comanta na choire uinti rein, making the sign of the cross on herself; as seannao na rligeao, cutting the way, making speed.

Seann-booac, -ais, npl. id., m., a stripling.

Séillim, -leao, v. intr., I yield, admit.

Séimneac, -nit, m., act of lowing.

5100án, -áin, npl. id., m., a small plot (of ground, grass, etc.)

Sionpace, -a, f., shortness; as out i nsionpace, growing shorter.

Kionnán, -ain, npl. id., m., a gelding, a horse. Sinnreac, -rice, -a, f., (pron. Sionnreac), a little girl; dim. zınpreacain, gs. id., npl. -i, f.

Stanaim, -ao, v. tr. and intr., I clean, clear; Stanaim tiom, I "clear off," disappear; πί τύιτςο **α ό**ιππέαη ςαιττο αιζο 'πά tanar ré leir, the instant he has finished his dinner he clears off.

Klan-meadain, -dnac, f., in phr. ve tlanmeabain, by memory, by rote.

5té, gsf. id., a., clear.

Steorce, gsf. id., a., charming, delightful.

Kliadan, -ain, m., chatter.

Stinn, -e, a., pure, clear. Snúip, -e, npl. id., f., countenance.

So cé, interrog. pr., what? (doubtless a fusion of soroé and cia).

Soití, (vernac. for zotaive, npl. of zotav, -aiv, -aive, m.,) antics.

Soinio, in phr. 50 στί le 50inio, until lately. Spáinneo5, -015e, npl. -a, f, hedgehog (erinaceus europæus).

Spearaim, -av, v. tr., I beat; spear tear piop be off down.

Σηιογάιλ, -άλα, f., a whipping.

héin, colloquial for réin (héin, not réin, is the pronunciation); vem' curo héinín héin, of my very very own.

hóbain (for σ'robain, apparently 3rd s. past of róbhaim, -baint and -bain, v. tr. and intr., I commence, undertake), in phr. hóbain (also hobain) 30, it had like; hóbain 30 mbáitriúe (note tense) í, she had like to be drowned.

1allac, in phr. a cun o'iallac ain, to compel him. 1annacτ, -a, npl. id., f., an attempt; τυς γί ιαρηαστ γά, she endeavoured.

1annaro, -ητα, f., act of asking, seeking; an 1annaro, missing, "to seek."

lantan, -ain, m., the west.

11-oatac, -aite, a., many-coloured.

1mcian, -céine, a., very distant.

imeall, -mill, m., edge, border, hem; imeall na rpéine, horizon.

1mmioe, gs. id., f., anxiety; ní μαιδ τασα ας σέαπαπ immioe οι αςτ, the only thing that was troubling her was.

1mteact, gs. -a, npl. id., f., departure, etc.; 1mteacta, doings, adventures.

10nncuiţim, -όὁ and -uţaὁ, v. tr. and intr., I turn. 10ημαὸ (gs. -aiὸ, npl. -iὸ, m.) ηυαὸ, squirrel (sciurus vulgaris).

ioραζάη, -á1η, m., loving diminutive of ioρα;
"Jesukin" ("iruccán" is the name of the
Child Jesus in the exquisite hymn attributed
to St. Ita, b. 470, d. 580, A.D.)

freat, -rte, a., low; or freat, in a low voice, privately.

Îṛtiṩ́im, -iuṣ́aȯ, v. tr. and intr., I lower, stoop; descend. Láżac, -aıże, a., affable.

Lairce, gs. id., npl. -i, m., latch; bain ré an Lairce oe'n conar, he unlatched the door.

Larain, gs. -rnac, npl. -rnaca, f., flame, flash; δί Larain ι rúilið an ġarúin, there was a light in the boy's eyes; le luar larnac, quick as a flash.

Largaim, -ao, v. tr., I whip, lash; targ terr, he darted off.

Leann, -a, -ca, f. or m., ale.

Leacaim, -ao, v. tr., I spread.

Leat-Luite, gsf. id., m., act of leaning.

Leiceann (Leit-ceann), -inn, npl. id., one side of the face, cheek (this word replaces Leaca in C.)

Léine, (gs. id., npl. -nceaca), f, shirt.

leirge, gs. id., f., laziness, reluctance; bi leirge onta, they were loath.

Lerce, gsf. id. (also -an), f., stirabout.

Locac, -aize, a., abounding in lakes.

Lóchann, -ainn, npl. id., lamp, light; 1 Lóchann na coinead, in the glow of the fire, in the firelight.

Luarzao, -zta, m., act of waving, shaking.

Lúb, -úibe, -a, f., a loop; bí an zadan i n-a túib, the dog was coiled up.

Luiţim, -ţe, v. intr., I lie; I alight; tuiţeann re te naoun, it is natural, it stands to reason.

Luingear, -Էյբ, npl. id. and -Էբeaca, m., fleet, shipping.

Luipne, gs. id., npl. -eaca, f., blush, flush, bright colour.

Lúpabóz, Lápabóz, a well-known children's game, so-called from the first words of the nonsense-rhyme used in playing it.

Macaine, gs. id., -i, m., plain.

Mactnam, -am, m., act of thinking, pondering.

Maioe (gs. id., npl. -i, m.) ηάma, an oar.

Maioin le, prep. phr., with regard to, as for.

Maicamnan, -air (pron. maicamnan), m., forgiveness.

maιτιαρ, -ιαιρ, m., Matthias. maitim, -team, v. tr., I forgive (το). matai, gs. id., f., "Molly."

matηαċ, -aıţ, npl. id., m., a boy, a male child. mám, -áıme, -áımeaċa, f., (also -áma, npl. id.,

m)., the cup-like hollow in a mountain-side or between two mountains ("an cnoc'r an gleann, an mám.")

mama, gs. id., f., "Mamma."

Maoin, -e, f., wealth, property.

maol, -oile, a., bald.

mantta, gsf. id., a., dead; ι n-am mantta na horoce, in the dead of night.

mapman, -ain, npl. id., m., marble.

meanzao záine, m., a smile.

Μέαμ, -έιμ, npl. id., -αιπα, -αċα, m., finger; μιαι πο πέαμ, the mark of my fingers; πίοη δαιη τί πέαμ σά γμόιη, she did not halt.

méròleac, -liţe, -a, f, bleating, act of bleating; az méròliţ (méròleac in s. l.), bleating.

meroneac, -nite, a., cheerful, joyous.

méro, -e, m. and f., bulk, size, quantity; oá méro, however much.

méinin, gs. id., npl. -i, m., foxglove (digitalis purpurea).

miar, méire, -a, f., dish.

minizim, -iużao, v. tr., I explain.

miniugao, -igte, m., act of explaining.

miot (gs. mit, npl. -iota, -iota, m.) cpionna, woodlouse, slater (oniscus asellus).

mion-opeam, -a, -anna, m., a little group.

mion-ouine, gs. id., npl. -oaoine, m., small person, little one; mion-oaoine . . . na coille, the little ones of the wood, the small inhabitants of the wood.

mionn, -a, npl. id., m., diadem.

mionnuiţim, -uţao, v. tr. and intr., I swear, vow.

moc, -oice, a., early; used as noun in phr. ó moc na marone, from early morning.

moroe (=mo plus ve), the more; ní moroe, none the more, none the likelier.

monabap, -aip, m., murmur, plaint.

motuţav, -uiţte, m., act of perceiving, feeling; perception.

múη, -úιη, npl. id., m., shower.
muince, gs. id., npl. -cí, f., necklace.
múιηπελό, -niặe, a., darling.
multaċ, -aiġ, npl., -aiġe and -aċa, m., top, head; multaċ a ċéile, on top of each other.

náoúnta, gsf. id., a., kindly. naigín, gs. id., npl. -i, m., noggin, mug. nead, gs. neide, npl. neadnaca, f. (also neid, nro, npl. id. and -aca, m.), nest. neaduizim, -użad, v. intr., I nestle. néall, -éill, npl. -éallta, m., a "a wink" of sleep: níon cooait ri néatt, she did not sleep a wink. neamoa, gsf. id., a., heavenly. neam-tnátac, -aite, a., unusual. niamnac, -aite, a., brilliant, glittering. niżescán, -áin, m., act of washing. ní' mé (=ní řeavan mé?), I don't know. noċていさċe, gsf. id., a., stripped, naked. nó te (=nó tuige?) in such phrases as no ce nac ocámis pio poime reo, why did you not come sooner? nuize (with 50), adv., until; 50 nuize reo, up to this, so far.

Orbeat, -διτό, m., tragic fate.

Oιξεαπτα, gsf. id., youngish, young-looking.

Ola (gs. id., npl. -í, f.) 'Θέιτοεαππας, Extreme Unction.

Olaζάη, -άιη, npl. id., m., wail.

Olc, gs. uιlc, npl. id., m., evil, spite; le copp uilc aμ, through sheer spite against.

Oπο, gs. uιητο, npl. id., m., religious order, friars, clergy; πας σταιτίξεαπη οπο πά Αιγμεαπη, who frequents neither clergy nor Mass.

Oγπαφ (μποπ. εφ-παφ), -αιφ, npl. -αφα, -αιφε -αιφεαζά, sigh.

Pαιομεοιμελέτ, -a, f., act of praying. Páirte, gs. id., npl. -í, m., a child; páirte rin, a male child.

Onlac, -115, -415e, m., inch.

páplúr, -úιr, npl. id, m., parlour.

pacase, gs. id., npl. -i, m, a tender young living thing, a plump young child.

peanra, -n, npl. -ain, f., person, body.

peisi, gs. id., f., " Peggy."

Péine, gs. id., npl. -i, m., pair, couple, two; in-a bpéine ip i n-a bpéine, by twos.

Dictiun (pron. pec-tun), -e, -i, m., picture.

Piob, -ibe, -a, f., windpipe, throat.

piobame na spiopaise (the "piper of the embers"), a fanciful name for the cricket (gryllus domesticus), properly, chiocam, gs. id., m., in this district (also chiosap, spiollac, etc.)

plantin, gs. id., m., the bare scalp of the head; 50 plant plantin innti, that she was

bald.

plóo, -610, -4, m., a group, a crowd.

pluro, -e, -i, f., blanket.

ppéacaim, ao, v. tr., I nip, pinch; ppéacran teir an bruact tú, you'll be "perished" with the cold.

ppéacan na SCeanc, the Hen-Harrier or (socalled) "Kite" (circus cyaneus).

puinnte, gs. id., npl. -i, m., point; an an bpuinnte rin, at that moment.

Raitneac, -niże, f., common female fern (aspidium filix famina).

Riomao, -mta, m., act of composing, inventing (a story, poem, etc.)

Riteact, -a, f., act of running, racing.

Roc, gs. nuic, npl. id., m., a wrinkle; nuic i n-a éavan, wrinkles in his face.

ποραό, -pta, act of tearing, etc.; ας ηοραό Lerp, "tearing away," running wild.

Rop, gs. nuir and -a, npl. id., m., promontory. Ró-flactman, -aine, a., too handsome. Ró-uaibneac, -nice, a., too proud.

Saiǧeav, -ḡve, npl. id. and -ví, f., arrow. Sáiʊ́m, -áċao¸, v. tr., I thrust, stick. Sáiʊ̇te, gsf. id., a., thrust, stuck. Sáċac¸, in constr. ráċac ʒalánza, sufficiently grand. Samail, -mla, -mlaca, f., likeness, similitude, comparison.

Seact, num., seven; peact mó, seven times greater.

Seancup, -uip, m., act of telling stories, chatting. Seanp (Eng. "chance"), chance.

Sean-psaint, -e, npl. id., f., a hearty shout, burst (saine, of laughter).

Seitmine, gs. id., npl. -i, m., a snail.

Sembireac, -rig, npl. id., m., servant.

Séir, -e, npl. id., f., strain (of music), sweetness; i péir compáir, in earnest conversation.

Seoo, -oro and -oroe, npl. id. and -a, m. and f., a jewel, a valuable.

'Sép'o (= p é puo), "it is what," as in 'rép'o oudaint an razant, "it is what" the priest said, what the priest said was.

Száite, gs. id., npl. -i, f., shadow, haze; rzáite rotuir, nimbus.

Sζαιμτεαό, -ττe, m., (in text), act of shedding, radiating, shining (of light).

Szaintim, -τελό, v. tr., and intr. I squirt, etc.; γχαιητ απ γαζαητ ας ζάιηιόε, the priest burst out laughing.

Szála, gs. id , npl. -i, m., dish. vessel.

Stattao, -tra, m., act of blazing, shining brightly and warming (of the sun).

Szát, -a, m., fear, fright.

S5atam, -aim, -aitte, m., span (genly. of time, but also of space); r5aitte, at times, sometimes.

Szátán, -ám, npl. id., m., looking-glass.

S510ppao, -pta, m., act of gliding, skimming.

Sziúnao, -nta, m., act of scouring. Szoitteao, -tte, m., a split, a cleft.

Szólaim, -ao, v. tr., I scour.

Saudato, -bta, m., act of sweeping, etc.; raudato lerr amac, to be off out with himself.

Squabaim, -bao, v. tr. and intr., I sweep; pquab teat, be off!

Syunac, -aiż, npl. id., m., a lad.

Sileati, -lte, m. act of dropping, oozing; as mileati leip an sclocap, flowing down and over the stones.

Sinim, -nead, v. tr., I stretch; rinead an Leic an ceallait i, she was "stretched" (i.e. she fell) on the hearthstone.

Siogán, -áin, npl. id., m., ant (formica).

Sioης Δό, -ς τ΄ Δ΄, m., act of dropping, shedding;
Δς γιοης Δό cainnee, chatting, chattering.

Simbal (-ait, m.) tae, in phr. 1 00 fimbal tae, in your day's walk.

Stact, -aict, and -a, m., comeliness, good appearance.

Stinnean, -áin, npl. id., m., shoulder, shoulderblade.

Smérceau, -ote, m., act of winking; le rméroeau oo rul, while you'd be winking.

Smio, -e, -i, f., a syllable, a word; gan pmio

Smigeato (-ito, m.) záine, a smile.

Sop, -a, m., cessation; ní pop póib, they do not

Spalpav, -pts, m., act of beating, bursting forth; an thian at rpalpav, the sun shining brightly.

Spáp, -áip, m., interval of time, respite.

Sppaoro, gs. id., f., "spree," game, play (the common word in the district for plays and games of all sorts).

Spannao, -nea, m., act of snoring.

Spuitleán, -áin, npl. id., m., streamlet.

State, -e, -eanna, f., "stack"; 1 n-a rearam ...
1 n-a reate, "standing like a stack," i.e.
stiff and awkward.

Stócac, -aiż, npl. id., m., a lad; rtóicín, gs. id., m., a little lad.

Scoipmeamail, -amla, a., stormy.

Schainréana, gs. id., npl. -ai, m., a stranger.

Schoicead, -cce, m., act of tearing.

Studic, -e, -eanna, f., pinnacle.

Súζηαὸ, - Δητα, m., act of playing, disporting; Δζ γύζηαὸ οι réin, playing.

Súit, -e, npl. id., f.. eye; a Leat-púit, her single eye (see s.v. a); az cun na pút thí, staring fixedly at.

Taca, indecl., m., a point of time; bliadain an

Taimin, gs. id., m., little Tom, "Tomeen;" the t is the t of English "Tom" (cf. tae, the t of which is also the t of English).

Carpreat, -cit, npl. id., journey, travel; act of journeying, traversing.

Caitigim, -ge, v. tr., I practise, frequent.

Talam, gs.-man and-aim, npl.-lta, f. and m., land. Taopac (pron. tabapac), -aige, a., hot-tempered.

tap é (elsewhere, ap é, nap é), inasmuch as, for the reason that; tap é ní paid aon cainnt as Caimín so poill, inasmuch as Tomeen

was not yet able to talk.

Can 'éire (=can a éirib), after.

Cápptáil, -ála, f., act of saving, preserving.

Cánntuitim, -uzao, v. tr., I save, preserve.

Caob, -oibe and -oib, npl. -a, f. and m., side;

Caobuitim, -uhao, v. fr. and intr., I approach. Ceac an pobail, m., the church, the "chapel."

Ceactaine, gs. id., npl. -í, m., messenger. Céaluitim, -utato, v. intr., I "steal," move stealthily.

Ceann, -einne, and -ca, m., strain, violence; Le teann raiteir, with excess of fear, in

sheer fright.
Ceannam, -ao, v. tr. and intr., I draw, strain.
Ceannza, gs. id., npl.-i, m., strait, difficulty, fix.
Ceana uait (also teannam uait, tealla uait,
tanna uait), come on.

Téiteat, -tte, m., act of warming.

Cian autuaro (sic. in Connemara, rather than tian-ó-tuaro or tian-tuaro), north-west.

Cimpirce, gs. id., npl. -i, f., disaster.

Cioolacaim, -ao, v. tr., I offer, bestow.

Ciomáinim. -áint, v. tr. and intr., I drive; tiomáin toint beat oub anoear, a small dark body approached from the south.

Cnútán, -áɪn, m , hope, expectancy ; b'ຊໍລວລ ວ່າ ລຽ ແກນ້ະລົກ Leo, she had been long coveting them.

Coct, -a, npl. id. -ai and -anna, m., stoppage of speech (on account of emotion); bi toct in-a \$16n, his voice shook.

Cógáil, -ála, f., act of raising; ag τόgáil na háite τan éir an δηιτραγτα, clearing away the table after breakfast.

Cóig, dialect. for cóg.

Cointhim, -inc, and -beanc, v. tr., I offer.

Conncim, -e, f., drowsiness, heaviness, (of slumber); conncim ruain, a deep slumber.

Coinc. -e. -eanna, f., bulk, object.

Comarrim, comar, comarr, v. intr., I guess.

Tomar, -air, npl. id. and -aireanna, m., a riddle.

Comman, -ain, npl. id., m., noise.

Topuiţim, -uţaŭ, -aiţe, v. tr. and intr, I commence; topuiţ [ré] aip, he commenced.

Cηλοόλό, -ċτλ, m., weariness, act of growing weak.

Cηάτ, -a, npl. id. and -anna, m., time, season; δί... aιcι τηάτ, she had ... once upon a time; τηάτ σά γοσζαί, at one period of his life.

Cnátamail, -mla, a., timely.

Cηάτησης (pron. locally τηάητσης), gs. id., npl. -ητα, and -ί, m., evening; τηιάτησητήη, dim., late evening.

Treaban, -bta, m., act of ploughing (figuratively of traversing the deep).

Cηeatan-mon, -one, a., mighty, swelling (of billows).

thio rior, adv. phr., right through, from beginning to end.

Cηιοραίλας, -αιζε, a., ringleted, clustering (of hair).

Cniteam, -tim, -ti, m., a fit; ι στηιτίδ ζάιηε, in fits of laughter.

Cทุบอรู้จัก, -ฉ่าก, npl. id., m., a wretch, an unhappy person, a misérable.

Cuainc, -e, npl. -eaca, and -eanna, f., a report, a loud fall.

Cuanzain, -ana, f., act of beating, smiting. Cubairce, gs. id., f., mischief, misfortune.

Cusaim: among its idiomatic uses note tus re an popar amac ain rein, he went out on the door; tus ri tead an trasaint pobail or rein, she reached the parish priest's house (vo is in use in this construction, though an is commoner),

Tuispeanac, -aise, a., intelligent, sagacious, discerning.

τυιητιης τυιητιης. v. intr., I descend.
 τύιτςe, comp. and superl., sooner; in phr. com τύιτςe αχυγ, as soon as (apparently a confusion of ni τύιτςe 'ná and com tust Δζυγ)
 τύτάη, -áin, npl. id., m., kettle.

uain, -e, -eannta, f., hour, time; weather.
uatman, -aine, a., fearful, terrible.
uct, -a, npl. id., m., bosom; ar uct (with gen.
of noun and 50 with verb), on account of, in
virtue of.
uταίτ, -a, -anna, f., will, bequest; γάζαιπ le
hυταίτ, I declare, I protest.
τόταη, dialect for ύτο, demons. a., yonder.
uπισάτο, -uṣte, m.. act of bowing.
uπισταίτ, σs. id., m., faculty of speech.
unnamac, -aige, a., reverent.



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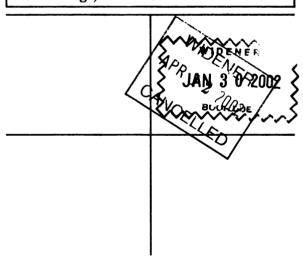




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